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THERE ARE NO "DRAGGED" AND UNEVEN EDGES IN THE LACE CURTAINS CLEANED BY US, THEY HAVE BEEN PROPERLY STRETCHED.
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(1914-1918).
IN MEMORIAM.

FULTON—In loving memory of David Munroe Fulton, who died at Dar-es-Salaam, East Africa, November 18th, 1918.
In a far and foreign graveyard,
Where the wild flowers wave,
Lies a kind and loving son
In a British soldiers' grave.

BIRTHS.

BOURNE—November 16, 1922, at Haggard, Carbury, Co. Kildare, to Muriel (née Rafter), wife of Edward Bourne, a daughter.

HILL—November 15, 1922, at Avalon, Rushy Park rd., to the Rev. and Mrs. L. Parkinson Hill, a son.

JACKSON—November 8, 1922, at Mrs. Goulding's Nursing Home, Cork, the wife of W. E. Jackson, Coolegrean, Newtown, Waterford, of a daughter.

LONG—October 28, 1922, at the Schoolhouse, Cumberland st., Kingstown, the wife of H. A. Long, of a son.

LYONS—November 12, 1922, at 3 Howard tce., Dungannon, the wife of R. H. C. Lyons, M.D., a son.

WALLIS—November 16, 1922, at 89 Lower Baggot st., to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Wallis, the gift of a son.

MARRIAGES.

DOWNES and HANNON—November 8, 1922, at the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, by the Rev. J. Dwyer, C.C., assisted by the Very Rev. D. Ryan, P.P., and Rev. C. O'Connor, C.C., Vincent, son of Sir Joseph Downes, South Hill, Milltown, Co. Dublin, to Maude, daughter of the late John Hannon and Mrs. Hannon, Pitchfordstown House, Kilcock, Co. Kildare.

JACOB and ROTHWELL—November 8, 1922, at Parish Church, Rathmines, Dublin, by Rev. W. G. Squires, Monart, assisted by Rev. Canon Lewis-Crosby, Rector of Rathmines, Robert Edward, youngest son of the late Thomas Jacob, Shroughmore, Ferns, and Mrs. Jacob, Dunsinane, Enniscorthy, to Annie Eliza (Annie), daughter of Benjamin Rothwell and the late Mrs. Rothwell, Ballyorrell House, Enniscorthy.

KINLAY and EGAN—October 4, 1922, at St. Augustine's Church, Beaconsfield, South Africa, by the Rev. Father Murray, Francis Woulfe Kinlay, M.A., 47 Moyne rd., Dublin, to Constance Ann, only daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. M. Egan, Kimberley, South Africa.

O'DONNELL and TOWNSLEY—November 9, 1922, at St. Thomas's Church, Belfast, by Rev. S. McGarvey, B.A., Percy Arthur, son of the late William H. O'Donnell, Clontarf, Dublin, to Patricia Alexandra (Patsy), only daughter of Edmund and Mrs. Townsley, 27 Wellesley av., Malone rd., Belfast.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 6.

BUTLER—November 16, 1922, at her residence, "Lismeen," Howth, after a brief illness, Nellie, beloved wife of William J. Butler. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral private.

CARLETON—November 17, 1922, at 15 Idrone tce., Blackrock, Mildred Anne, widow of the late Canon Carleton, and daughter of the late Colonel Beresford, R.A., of Woodhouse, Co. Waterford. Funeral, Monday, on arrival of the 12.15 train at Kilkenny Station, to St. Canice's Cathedral.

CRAIG—November 15, 1922, at 19 Sydney av., Blackrock, Annie, widow of the late W. Alexander Craig. R.I.P.

CRUMLEY—November 17, 1922, at the residence of his son-in-law, Grove House, Milltown, Dublin, Mr. Patrick Crumley, ex-M.P., Enniskillen. R.I.P. Remains leave Amiens st. by 3 o'clock train to-day (Saturday). Funeral from St. Michael's, Enniskillen, after Solemn Office and High Mass, 11 o'clock, Monday, 20th inst.

JONES—November 12, 1922, at Central Nursing Home, Blackpool, John Jones, late of Cuilgreana, North Strand, Limerick, aged 71 years.

O'DONNELL—November 11, 1922, at her residence, Mount Prospect, Warrenpoint, Miss Ellen O'Donnell, formerly of Mount Pleasant Cottage, Boheragh, Omagh. R.I.P. Funeral private.

ORLANDI—November 13, 1922, at his residence, 8 Mountpleasant square, Gilles Orlandi. Deeply regretted. Funeral (private) from Church of Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmines, Wednesday. Italian, French, New Zealand, and American papers please copy.

RENNISON—November 17, 1922, at a Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Joyce Elizabeth, darling child of the Rev. C. T. Rennison and Mrs. Rennison, Killeagh Rectory, Oldcastle, aged six months. Funeral private.

TOMB—November 14, 1922, at her father's residence, 8 Lodge rd., Coleraine, of pneumonia, Mary Isabella Tomb.

MATER MISERICORDIÆ HOSPITAL, DUBLIN.

The Anniversary Office and Requiem Mass for the Deceased Benefactors of this Hospital will take place in the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough st., on Monday next, the 20th inst., at 11 o'clock.

IMPORTANT.—As announcements for this column, if posted on Saturday, cannot reach this office in time for Monday's paper, they should be sent by telegram.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. Davidson and family return sincere thanks to all friends who sympathised with them in their recent sorrow.

Mr. Rooney and family, 13 Oakley rd., return thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

BAILIE—In loving memory of our dear mother, who departed this life November 18th, 1918, at Island House, Scarva, Co. Down.

BAILIE—In loving memory of our dear father, who departed this life at his residence, Island House, Scarva, Co. Down, November 16th, 1919.
"Father, in Thy gracious keeping,
Leave we now our loved ones sleeping."
Inserted by their sorrowing family.

CHARTERS—In sad and ever-loving memory of darling Harry, who fell asleep at Oatlands, Stillorgan, November 18th, 1918.

GROVES—In ever-loving and affectionate memory of Lizzie, who fell asleep in Jesus November 18th, 1914. "Till He come."

KIRKHAM—In loving memory of Harry Atherton Kirkham, who passed away at his parents' residence, Quay, New Ross, 18th November, 1917. "Till the day break."

ROBERTS—In loving memory of our darling Albert, accidentally drowned 18th November, 1913, aged 11 years. Always remembered by Mum and Dad, 32 Villiers rd., Rathgar.

WAKELY—In loving memory of Letitia Mary Wakely, who died 18th November, 1918, at 128 Clonliffe rd. "'Tis but a little while and we shall meet again." Inserted by her husband and children.

YOUNG—In loving memory of my dear sister, Anne, who died at Slyguff, Bagenalstown, November 18, 1918.

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No Tender will be considered unless delivered at the above address by 12 o'clock noon on 25th November, 1922, under closing envelope and marked "Tender," outside.
(Signed) C. R. KILKELLY, Medical Superintendent.
16th November, 1922. K.A.A.

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Sealed Tenders, addressed to the "Presiding Chairman," and endorsed "Tender for Houses," and sent by registered post, will be received by me up to, but not later than, 7 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 12th day of December, 1922. Tenders not sent by registered post will be rejected.
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P. J. CARROLL, Town Clerk, Mullingar.
Town Commissioners' Office, County Buildings, Mullingar.
8th November, 1922.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 11th day of October, 1922, are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of March, 1923, to furnish (in writing) full particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors, to whom Probate of the will, with one codicil, of said Deceased was granted forth of the Principal Registry (Probate), Ireland, on the 10th day of November, 1922.
And Notice is hereby further given that, after the 1st day of March, 1923, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as hereby required.
Dated this 17th day of November, 1922.
ERNEST E. MERRICK, LL.D., Solicitor for said Executors, 202 Great Brunswick street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
ROBERT BYRNE, late of 59 Ballybough road, Dublin, Licensed Vintner, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Robert Byrne, deceased, who died on the 28th day of June, 1922, are required on or before the 18th day of December, 1922, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator, James Byrne, of Cummer, in the County of Wexford, Farmer, to whom administration of the said estate of the said Deceased was granted forth of the Principal Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate), of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, on the 26th day of September, 1922.
And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 18th day of December, 1922, the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased according to the rights of the parties interested, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as required above.
Dated this 14th day of November, 1922.
HUGGARD and BRENNAN, Solicitors for the Administrator, 55 Dawson street, Dublin, Gorey and Wexford.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
HANNAH ELIZABETH MOORE, late of Walmer, Raheny, in the County of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors, or otherwise to have any claim or demand upon or against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 16th day of May, 1921, are hereby required, on or before the 31st day of December, 1922, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for Mabel Moore, of Walmer, Raheny, aforesaid, Spinster, and Hardress Waller, of Troy, Londonderry, Esquire, the Executors named in the Will of said Deceased, to whom Probate of the said Will was granted on the 9th day of July, 1921, forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland.
And Notice is hereby given that, on the said 31st day of December, 1922, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.
Dated 17th day of November, 1922.
S. and R. C. WALKER and SON, Solicitors for the said Executors, 86 Merrion square, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
ALEXANDER SHARP DEANE, late of 25 Ailesbury road, in the County of Dublin, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors, or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the estate or assets of Alexander Sharp Deane, who died on the 14th day of August, 1922, are hereby required, on or before the 20th day of December, 1922, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of said claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for Marcella Amelia Deane, of 25 Ailesbury road, aforesaid, one of the Executors of the Will of Deceased, to whom probate thereof was, on the 25th day of October, 1922, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland.
And Notice is hereby further given that, after the said 20th day of December, 1922, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.
Dated this 17th day of November, 1922.
CROOKSHANK, LEECH, and DAVIES, Solicitors for the said Executrix, 22 Kildare street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
MARY JANE KELLY, late of Maddenstown, Curragh Camp, County Kildare, Spinster, deceased.
Take Notice that on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof we shall apply to the proper Officer of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), for a Grant of Administration, intestate, of the personal estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 20th day of November, 1920, on behalf of Alice Kelly, of Garlow Cross, Navan, in the County of Meath, Spinster, unless a Caveat is duly entered within the aforesaid eight days.
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LADY desires position as Junior Clerk; holds first class certificates for Typewriting, Shorthand and Bookkeeping.—D 156, this office. 17 A

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LADY can recommend nice Girl, farmer's daughter, as Companion Housekeeper to elderly lady or Invalid; can sew, cook; very trustworthy; has agreeable manner; would assist tobacconist, sweet, or fruit shop; well recommended.—D 209, this office.

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TO Professional Men and Others—A Lady, middle aged and refined, will act as Receptionist; highly recommended.—Box 694, Eason's Advertising Agency, Dublin.

WANTED by an energetic Man, position of Store Clerk or Storekeeper; cash security up to £300 given. Address "Z 1502, Man," this office. 17 A

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YOUNG Lady desires position as Shorthand Typist, Bookkeeper; 3 years' experience; well educated; highest reference.—D 112, this office. 16 B

YOUNG Protestant Girl desires position as Mother's Help; good needlewoman.—D 35, this office. 16 F

YOUNG Lady desires position Shorthand Typist and General Office work; experience; country town preferred. Address "Z 1484, Typist," this office. 17 A

YOUNG Girl wishes to go Apprentice to Drapery or Grocery; Co. Cavan or Meath preferred. Apply B. Clarkin, Milltown, Kingscourt, Co. Cavan.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

A WELL recommended country General Man (Protestant) Wanted; T.T.; good milker; indoor, 12/- per week. Address "Z 1442, Man," this office. 15 A

RABBIT Trapper Wanted; state terms, with and without gear, immediately.—Wilcox, Kilmessan, Meath.

WANTED, First and Second Footmen, Protestants, ages 24.28 years, height about 5ft. 9in.; wages £45-£50, all found; for Ireland, London, and Newmarket, by December 3rd; also good Boy with slight experience as Nursery Footman and assist generally, age 18, Protestant; wages £24, washing, and two suits of morning clothes. Apply F. Foole, Mount Juliet, Thomastown, Kilkenny. 14 F

WANTED, Protestant Boy, plain cooking, indoor work, for single clergyman, country; good home; state particulars; moderate wage. Address "Z 1490, Boy," this office.

WANTED, useful General Man, garden, care horse, Ford; £50 (indoor); copies of references.—D 174, this office.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

GARDENER—Experienced young Man Wanted, single handed; must be energetic; state age and experience, wages 30/-, gate lodge, coal, and vegetables; no children.—C 1991, this office. 15 X

THE MOTOR SHOW: A RETROSPECT

Many interesting details are given in the following notes of the new cars, which were exhibited at the recent Exhibition in London:

MORRIS.

No stand at Olympia attracted more attention than that of the Morris Company, where the Morris-Oxford and the Morris-Cowley were exhibited. Morris models now number three, the 11.9 h.p. and the 13.9 h.p. being four-cylinder cars, and the 17.9 h.p. a six-cylinder production. Prices range from £225 for a two-seater to £575 for a six-cylinder cabriolet, and though the price list has undergone a considerable revision in a downward direction the same standard of excellence asserts itself in the cars.

CITROEN.

The new 7.5 h.p. Citroën should achieve as much success as the original 10 h.p. model. It is in many ways a remarkable car. All the parts have been slightly reduced in size, which gives the chassis a perfectly harmonious appearance, while preserving sturdiness. The new price has been fixed at £195, while the 10 h.p. four-seater is to be available at £245 and the 11.4 h.p. four-seater at £265. For the latter model the prices range up to £495 for a handsome landaulette. Sterling merit and splendid value are the distinguishing features of the new Citroën models.

CROSSLEY.

The Crossley programme for 1923 includes an entirely new car, to be known at the 12-14 h.p., which is to be produced as a two-seater, or a touring four-seater, complete with side curtains of the all-weather type, for £475. Many features peculiar to the larger Crossley models are incorporated in the new car. The four-cylinder engine has a Treasury rating of 15.6 h.p. Throughout the chassis the engine, gear-box, and back axle are designed for the same grade of oil. The 19.6 h.p. is generally the same as before, but has been improved in matters of detail. It is in every way an excellent car.

SUNBEAM.

Sunbeam cars for 1923 will consist of 14 h.p. and 16 h.p. four-cylinder models and a six-cylinder car of 24 h.p. The Treasury rating of the three models is 12.8 h.p., 15.9 h.p., and 23.8 h.p. respectively. All three models have overhead valves and detachable heads; but whereas the two larger cars have cone clutches, the 14 h.p. has a disc type of clutch. The workmanship which has always distinguished the "Supreme Sunbeam" is much in evidence in the new models both in chassis details and in finish and symmetry of outline in the coachwork.

RILEY.

After the fine performances on the road of the Riley Eleven, no great mechanical changes were looked for, and what alterations have been made are mainly matters of minor detail, such as an improved clutch stop and dynamo drive. The finish of the chassis is as good as ever, while the bodywork is really excellent. The Riley Company was a pioneer firm so far as motors are concerned. It is an unusually adaptable chassis, and advantage has been taken of this fact to provide quite a wide variety of bodies for the choice of the purchaser.

ALBERT AND GWYNNE.

The Albert will again be produced as a car of 11.9 h.p., but, in addition, a larger and a smaller model will be available for 1923. The larger is to be known as the 14 h.p. Gwynne Albert. It has a four-cylinder engine, 75 mm. bore, and 105 mm. stroke, giving a Treasury rating of 13.9 h.p. Four speeds are fited with a central change lever. The smaller model is to be called the Gwynne Eight, and has a four-cylinder engine with a Treasury rating of 7.9 h.p. Both the new models are as excellently turned out as the Albert.

BEAN.

The Bean 11.9 h.p. will give choice of three or four speeds, the latter being intended for cases where all-enclosed bodies are fitted. As an instance of the thoroughness with which the Bean is produced, it may be mentioned that before it was decided to introduce the additional speed it was given a road test of 23,000 miles, during which three shifts of drivers worked day and night for six weeks. There are quite a number of little improvements in detail in the 1923 models, not all of which show themselves in an external examination.

TALBOT-DARRACQ.

The 8 h.p. Talbot-Darracq is now fitted with a dickey seat capable of accommodating two children. The eight-cylinder Talbot-Darracq is only altered in minor detail. It has an engine capable of giving 70 h.p. on the brake, and has a Treasury rating of 27.9 h.p. As a saloon with a domed top, it is a particularly handsome car. Other Talbot-Darracq models include a four-cylinder car of 12-32 h.p. and another of 18-36 h.p., which also has four cylinders. In design, construction, and equipment the new Talbot-Darracq models are alike of very high grade.

GALLOWAY.

The 1923 Galloway is undoubtedly a greatly improved car. The wheelbase is longer. Engine, gear box, and fabric lined cone clutch are in one unit, and final drive is through a spiral bevel type of axle. With its slightly longer chassis, it is quite a roomy touring car. The 10-20 h.p. engine has a Treasury rating of 10.9 h.p. With the little improvements which have resulted from the experience of the past year, the Galloway is a car of moderate size and ample power which has many merits.

LEA-FRANCIS.

Three models of the Lea-Francis car are to be produced for next year. The 11.9 model has a four-cylinder engine, side-by-side valves, cone clutch, and four speeds. The 8.9 h.p. has three speeds, spiral bevel drive, and cone clutch, the engine being one of the new Coventry-Simplex side valve models, in which the cylinder head is of the detachable variety. The third car is fitted with a Bradshaw oil-cooled two-cylinder engine, with a Treasury rating of 7.1 h.p. The new Lea-Francis cars bear evidence of sound design, and are of unusual neatness.

THE FORD.

The Ford is again substantially the same in general specification as when the present model was brought out, but improvements in matters of detail continue to be made, and, as these have been accompanied by reductions on the prices ruling a year ago, they are more than ever appreciated. There is a constant tendency for bodywork to improve and for fittings to increase, with the result that the universal Ford has a place which is all its own in the motor world.

ARMSTRONG-SIDDELEY.

The 30 h.p. and the new 18 h.p. models of the Armstrong-Siddeley are distinguished by magnificent bodywork. Especially is this the case on the larger car, built to the order of the Duke of York, who suggested several of the refinements which appear on the Royal car. The 18 h.p. model has a six-cylinder engine, which just comes within the £18 tax, the Treasury rating being actually 17.9 h.p. It is a combination of all that is good in mechanism and coachwork.

DAIMLER AND B.S.A.

The Daimler and B.S.A. cars for 1923 include six-cylinder, four-cylinder, and two-cylinder models. The latter is the 10 h.p. air-cooled B.S.A. "Popular" car. At the other end of the Daimler range is the 45 h.p. six-cylinder, with a luxurious landaulette body. Then comes the 16 h.p. and the 12 h.p. Daimlers, which are also six-cylinder sleeve valve models. Daimler design, finish, and workmanship are at their best in the new cars. In addition to the "Popular," the B.S.A. cars include a 12 h.p. four-cylinder with sleeve valves, also a similar car of 11 h.p., and both are cars of outstanding merit. The Daimler Company, who distribute the B.S.A. productions, now have a range of over fifty models to offer, ranging in price from £230 to £1,950.

VAUXHALL VARIETIES.

In addition to the Vauxhall Kingston of 23-60 h.p. and the Vauxhall Velox of 30-98 h.p., which retain all the features which have carried them to fame, the Vauxhall Company have added the Vauxhall Princeton to their list. It is a moderately powered car of outstanding merit. It has a Treasury rating of 13.9 h.p. As a four-seater touring car, the new model preserves the outline which distinguishes Vauxhall productions.

SHELL-MEX.

The stand of the Shell-Mex Company at the White City contained a number of models of early types of motor vehicles, showing the development of the car and the road surface since the introduction of the automobile. The Shell kerbside petrol pump was shown, exhibiting the certified measure and the visible filling, while the various grades of Shell lubricating oils, gear oils, and grease were included among other exhibits.

DUNLOP CORDS.

The Dunlop Rubber Company have adopted an all-cord programme for 1923, and the new types have been introduced to the tune of very pleasing price reductions. The number of new cars fitted with Dunlop tyres as standard is evidence of the opinion of the car manufacturers as to the merits of the new cords. In addition to the Dunlop cord tyre, the company are also producing the Dunlop clipper cord, which is in every respect a high grade tyre, though costing less than the former.

B.P.

An exhibit at the White City which attracted considerable attention was a model rail tank car and model derrick of the types used in the Persian oilfields, from which the British Petroleum Company, through the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, obtains its supplies. The stand was decorated with B.P. spirit cans of the new khaki colour, which contain No. 1 spirit and the familiar blue of the No 3 grade.

ANGLO AND PRATT'S.

Visitors to the White City section of the Motor Show were given an opportunity of testing for themselves the accuracy of the Golden Pump and the Victory Pump system of bulk storage on the stand of the Anglo-American Oil Company, which was decorated with the familiar tins of Anglo benzol and Pratt's spirit.

MICHELIN.

Chief among the Michelin specialities are the cable cover and the Michelin disc wheel, both of which are held in high estimation by those who have used them. The Michelin cable cover has a very efficient form of rubber non-skid devise upon its tread, while the Michelin disc wheel continues to gain in popularity.

MALE SERVANTS CONTINUED.

WANTED, experienced Man, for Hotel Grounds; good wages to suitable person. Address "Z 1446, Man," this office. 15 A

WANTED, Journeyman Gardener, inside and out. Apply Steward, Belvedere House, Mullingar, stating wages required, with lodgings and usual allowances. 16 B

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

BUTLER, Protestant, disengaged soon; long discharges; well recommended.—555, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 14 F

BUTLER, married, age 38, with one child, requires situation; good valet and plate cleaner; 7½ years in last place; can be well recommended.—Walter McCulloch, Curraghmore, Bofeenaune, Ballina, Co. Mayo.

DISENGAGED, Yard and General Man, single, 29; highly recommended; understands oil engine, knowledge of motor; wages, indoor, £1 per week. Address "Z 1382, Man," this office. 14 F

EX-ARMY Man, married, Wants Job; can drive motor, plain gardening, make himself generally useful; good papers. Reply Graham, Grange, Lucan. 16 B

GENERAL Yard Farm Man seeks employment; well recommended; Wife would do laundry or milk. Address "Z 1475, Man," this office.

GROOM, married, take post, understands stallions, mares, foals, hunters, break young horses.—Graham, Collinstown, Westmeath. 17 8

HOTEL and Restaurant Officials and Servants Wanted and seeking Employment will be found under special heading following Situations Vacant. T

MAN as Stud Groom, with long experience; 45 years of age, married, no incumbrance. Will be highly recommended by Mr. Barrington Jellett, Clonard, Dundrum, Co. Dublin. 16 B

WANTED, situation as Pantry Boy, age 16 years. Reply Robert Armstrong, Rectory, Claremorris. 17 C

YOUNG Man, married, small family; drive, plain gardening; farm, milk; good discharges.—Address "Z 1410, Man," this office.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

GARDENER, General Man, disengaged, married, Protestant; ten years last place; highly recommended. Apply 1 Upper Mount st., Dublin. 14 F

GARDENER, Working all branches; first class reference; Son work if required. Apply O'Brien, Drummeen, Annamoe, Wicklow. 16 B

STEWARD Gardener shortly disengaged, thoroughly experienced in all estate work, cattle, tillage, accounts, etc., first class gardener; age 40, Protestant, no family.—C 1957, this office. 15 A

YOUNG Man, having given up farming, wishes to hear of a Stewardship; understands cattle, sheep, and all kinds of farming; married, one in family; strict T.T., and a Protestant; highest references if required. Address "Z 1381, Man," this office.

YOUNG Man, garden, milk, etc.; reliable, willing; wage moderate.—D 250, this office.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

GOOD home, small salary offered young, R.C., Girl, about 16; country house, two miles Dublin tram; two other maids; light housework and help child; experience unnecessary; must be well recommended.—D 143, this office.

STRONG, active Person required, attend invalid lady at 3 or 4 o'clock, 57 Waterloo road. 17 A

USEFUL Maid, Protestant, required to attend old lady; wages £30.—Mrs. Archdale, Cloverhill, Clondalkin. 17 C

WANTED for Boys' Preparatory School, North Wales, Girl to Help in Kitchen (wanted early January), and Housemaid (wanted December); good wages; Catholic staff. Apply, with references, Mrs. Thompson, Dinglewood, Colwyn Bay. 17 C

WANTED, a young Girl to Help with Housework, nursery, and washing; country girl preferred.—D 183, this office.

WANTED, superior Girl (Protestant preferred), for light housework, take out boy of 4 afternoons; outdoor.—45 Brighton square, Rathgar.

VACANCIES FOR SERVANTS.

There are many vacancies in the REGISTRY of the "IRISH TIMES" for all classes of Trained and Untrained Servants. Good wages offered. No fee charged. MATRON can recommend comfortable Homes where Servants can stay while waiting for situations. T

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

COOK General Wanted; good plain cook, early riser, no washing; house parlourmaid kept; state age, wages, send copies discharges.—Mrs. Darlington, Monasterey, Enniskerry, Co. Wicklow. 16 F

GOOD Plain singlehanded Cook required at once for private family, London district; wages £50, and bonus £2 10/- every six months; fare paid. Apply by letter to Mrs. Furder, St. Dunstan's College, Catford, London, S.E.6.

GOOD young country Cook Wanted; thoroughly reliable, economical; small dairy, baking; kitchenmaid kept; send copies, age, wages.—Honner, Brannockstown, Co. Kildare. 15 A

WANTED, for Hampshire, Cook General; parlourmaid kept and man for heavy work; wages £36; four in family; Roman Catholic preferred. Address "Z 1385, Cook General," this office. 14 F

WANTED immediately, near country town, good Cook General, young, R.C., for small family; copies discharges. Address "Z 1436, Cook," this office. 15 A

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, competent Cook General, young; give references; two in family.—C 1842, this office. 14 F

WANTED, for Co. Meath, young, Plain Cook; small laundry and fowl; two in family; wages £24 to £26. Address "Z 1439, Cook," this office. 15 F

WANTED, good Plain Cook General, also House Parlourmaid; must have good references; early risers. Apply Mrs. Egan, Clonfadda, Merrion avenue, Blackrock. 16 B

WANTED, Cook General; good cooking essential; two in family; house parlourmaid kept; wages £40. Apply, with particulars and references, and state age, to Mrs. V. S. Delany, 2 Church street, Longford 17 A

WANTED, Cook Housekeeper for country; Lady might suit; must be highly recommended; good plain cooking. Write, or call between 4 and 5, Monday or Tuesday, Hon. Mary Spring Rice, 3 Upper Fitzwilliam street. 17 A

WANTED, very good young Singlehanded Cook (three maids), family four; understand fowl; Stillorgan district; excellent recommendations; good wages.—D 213, this office.

WANTED, experienced young Cook General, small family, suburbs; send copies, age, wages.—D 152, this office. 17 A

GENERALS WANTED.

A GENERAL Maid Wanted near Cowper road; small family; early dinner; good wages and outings.—R O 74, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

GENERAL Wanted; experienced; good wages, comfortable home; small washing.—Mrs. Shaw, Aghade Rectory, Tullow. 14 F

GENERAL, County Dublin; family two, small house. Address "Z 1452, General," this office. 16 B

GENERAL Servant Wanted, South Circular road; small family, no children; must be well recommended; good wages and outings; send copies only.—D 200, this office.

GENERAL or Working Housekeeper required, Co. Kildare; middle aged; gentleman farmer's place, three in family; small dairy, small washing, few fowl; copies reference, age, religion, salary. Address "Z 1488, General," this office.

GENERAL Servant Wanted, aged 20; must be well recommended.—St. Michael's, 10 Sandycove avenue W.

SMART young reliable General Wanted for Donnybrook; must have long, satisfactory discharges; early riser; two and one child in family; good wages.—C 1833, this office. 14 F

STRONG young General; good cook, early riser; no washing; three in family; Pembroke; state wages and enclose copies.—D 116, this office. 16 F

SMART young General Wanted for Daily Work; good wages. Apply 18 Harcourt street.

WANTED, a respectable, capable girl as General, for Maryborough. Address, stating age, wages, and copies references, "Z 1357, Girl," this office. 13 F

WANTED, young General, fond of children. Apply, with papers, 78 Botanic road, Dublin. 16 B

WANTED, experienced young General; usual duties, fond of children (2); good wages and outings. Call 1.30-3.30, or 5-6.30, 6 Winton avenue, Rathgar. 16 B

WANTED, experienced General; plain cooking, washing; small family, Donnybrook.—D 189, this office.

WANTED, young General, fond children; flat, Kingstown; two family, baby; well recommended.—D 196, this office.

WANTED, for Ballsbridge direction, superior General Servant, good cook; small family; another maid kept; good wages.—D 154, this office. 17 C

WANTED, smart General for city house; some washing and cooking.—41 Henry street. 17 A

WANTED, General Servant, trustworthy, experienced, good plain cook; long satisfactory discharges; comfortable home, Southern suburbs; two in family; generous wages.—D 43, this office.

WANTED by first December General, for County Dublin; plain cooking, washing; must be well recommended.—D 136, this office.

WELL recommended young General Wanted. Seen after six, 13 Wellington place, Pembroke.

WANTED immediately, capable, well recommended General—At 14 Eaton square, Monkstown.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED, methodical Housemaid Wanted, country place; needlewoman; send copies, age, wages required; good wages to suitable person.—Honner, Brannockstown, Co. Kildare. 15 A

MRS. Case, Maingerton, Foxrock, wants experienced House Parlourmaid; good valet; long discharges; three in family; wages £30. 17 C

WANTED, early in December, young Housemaid, some experience, willing to learn, for County Dublin; four servants kept; interview in Dublin. Address "Z 1388, Housemaid," this office. 14 F

WANTED immediately, House Parlourmaid; small family; Kingstown. Address "Z 1379, House Parlourmaid," this office. 14 F

WANTED, good House Parlourmaid; South suburbs; family four; wages £26 to £28.—D 67, this office. 16 F

WANTED, House Parlourmaid, experienced; housemaid kept; £30; age, copies.—Fleming, Barraghcore, Goresbridge, Kilkenny. 17 C

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DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

COUNTRY Girl recommended; understands plain cooking; state wages.—C/o Mrs. Hall, Rathnew.

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COOK General; good plain cook; city preferred; well recommended.—D 133, this office.

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COOK General or General, good cook; well recommended.—D 169, this office.

EXPERIENCED young Cook soon disengaged, family going away. Apply, by letter, L., 36 Leeson Park. 16 B

GOOD Cook wishes situation, suburbs or country; can take dairy; good references.—D 107, this office. 16 F

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GENERALS DISENGAGED.

A YOUNG General wishes training, small family (no washing), city, suburbs; recommended.—D 139, this office. 17 A

EXPERIENCED General; good plain cook; recommended; city or suburbs.—Keogh, Bond street, Wicklow.

GENERAL, good cook, requires place immediately; Protestant.—D 165, this office.

GENERAL disengaged; city or suburbs; good references.—D 148, this office.

GENERAL Servant Wants place in small family.—D 98, this office.

GENERAL disengaged; capable, reliable; city, suburbs; highest references.—D 150, this office.

GENERAL or Cook General, disengaged; suburbs; good references.—D 130, this office.

GENERAL; good plain cook; no washing; good papers; city, suburbs.—D 131, this office.

GENERAL, good cook, requires place immediately; Protestant.—D 155, this office.

YOUNG General; good house worker; city, suburbs; well recommended.—D 128, this office.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

A YOUNG Girl wishes to go as House Parlourmaid to small family, city or suburbs.—D 236, this office. 17 A

HOUSE Swingmaid requires Vacancy in small private family; highly recommended. Address "Z 1435, Sewingmaid," this office. 15 A

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PEKIN Drakes for Sale, 10/- each, pure bred, immense birds.—Richardson, Newcastle, Co. Wicklow. 16 F

PULLETS, crossbred, April hatched, 4/6 each, carr. paid.—Irvin, Beechhill, Monaghan. 17 O

POULTRY Houses. Lists from Geo. Perry and Co., Ltd., Camden row, Dublin. 4 X

POULTRY Pens—Reduced price 5/ per cwt., delivered city, bags 2/- extra, returnable; cash with order.—Lindsay, 17 Westland row. 12 X

SALE, Cockerels, Pullets, Cocks (1921), Black Minorcas Hunter's best.—Thomas, Clogrennan, Carlow. 15 A

THE Finest Food for Fattening Poultry for the Christmas Markets is the choice sifted Barley Meal made by the Island Bawn Mills, Nenagh; order from your dealer to-day. Supplied in half cwt. and one cwt. bags. 16 27

THE Wainstown Poultry Farm, Batterstown, County Meath—Utility Poultry, noted strains, Setting Eggs and Day Olds, directly imported Australorps and Barnevelders, Fresh Eggs, Fat Chickens, Ducklings, Geese, and Turkeys; free delivery Dublin City; prices on application. 5 X

TRAPPED Rabbits Wanted; best prices guaranteed; hampers supplied.—Hooper, Market, Dewsbury. 30 X

WHITE Runner Drakes (Taylor-Walton's), ringed by instructress, 7/6 each.—Roran, Debicott, Mountmellick.

WHITE Leghorn Pullets, May hatched, 15/-, highest grade stock.—D 158, this office.

WHITE Leghorn Cockerels, February March (Barron), 10/6 each; Aylesbury Drakes, 8/6, all splendid birds.—Mrs. Morris, Clonmore House, Piltown, Kilkenny.

YELLOW Fantail Pigeons and others for Sale.—Matron, Royal Hospital, Donnybrook.

6 WHITE Runner Ducks, near laying, with unrelated Drake, £2.—Devlin, Moyle, Balliebourough. 15 A

2 March and April Pullets, splendid laying strain, some laying; cheap.—Manley, 1 Dolphin terrace, South Circular road. 15 B

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

FISHING Rods, Reels, Lines, Flies, and Tackle, huge stock, selling less than cost prices. List free.—Keegan, Inns quay, Dublin. 16 4

YACHTS BOATS, ETC.

FOR Sale bargain, Motor Trawler Cardiffian, 25 h.p. Diesel engine, perfect condition, make good yacht, cruiser; seen Canal Basin, Mount street Bridge. Particulars, Hynes' Restaurant, Dublin. 14 F

FURNITURE.

AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques. T

ANTIQUES—Owner leaving, must clear large genuine Sheraton Bookcase, Corner Cupboards, Coppers, Morlands, China, Glass, Rugs, Chippendale, Grandfather, Carved Frieze, Chippendale Brackets, Chintz Curtains.—4 Leinster road, West. 14 F

ALL Furniture, fair condition Wanted, suitable medium sized house.—D 20, this office. 15 A

COUCH, Chest Drawers, Looking Glass, Beds, Fenders, and other things for Sale.—D 95, this office. 15 F

CHESTERFIELD, Settees, superior productions, £10 10/-; luxurious Lounge, Chairs, £5 5/-; genuine bargains; unobtainable elsewhere.—Kehoe's, Manufacturers (Gold Medallists), Rathmines Park.

DRAWINGROOM, Bedroom, Diningroom Furniture, Summerhouse and Garden Requisites Wanted.—D 7, this office. 15 A

FURNITURE House, and House itself, if suitable, Wanted immediately.—D 9, this office. 15 A

FURNITURE—Contents of House or part thereof Wanted immediately.—D 26, this office. 15 A

LAWLOR Briscoe will Buy or Sell your Surplus Furniture. Auction every Thursday.—35 Ormond quay. T

LARGE Bedroom Suite, also Couple Smaller, suitable maid's room, Wanted.—D 14, this office. 15 A

MAGNIFICENT Inlaid Mahogany Table (worth £25); sacrifice, immediate purchaser.—D 257, this office.

NICE, clean Bedroom Suite, few other pieces Furniture Wanted soon.—D 18, this office. 15 A

SOME really good Pieces Furniture Wanted; owner's fair valuation.—D 24, this office. 15 A

WARDROBE, Chest Drawers, Cabinet, Sideboard, Overmantels, and Furniture generally Wanted.—D 12, this office. 15 A

WANTED to Buy privately, all Furniture suitable eight roomed house.—D 10, this office. 15 A

WOULD Purchase your Furniture, and save us both money.—D 16, this office. 15 A

MUSIC, PIANOS, ETC.

FOR Adult Pupils' Practise—Wanted, Piano of middling quality.—D 25, this office. 15 A

FOR Children's Classroom—Wanted, Piano, some Music, Seats, etc.—D 17, this office. 15 A

KEARNEY'S Music, 6d. to 2/-; lists free. Gramophone Records from 2/6; catalogues free.—14 Capel street, Dublin. X

NICE Piano as to tone, appearance, Wanted; fair price.—D 11, this office. 15 A

PIANOFORTE Tuning, Restoration a speciality, city or country.—Jackson, 25 Millmount avenue, Drumcondra (late of Cramer's). 14 B

PIANO Wanted right away for spot cash; price fairly reasonable.—D 13, this office. 15 A

PIANO at reasonable price Wanted; one that owner guarantees.—D 23, this office. 15 A

PIANO Wanted before Christmas; state price and all particulars.—D 21, this office. 15 A

PIANO, 'Cello, Concert Flute, several Violins, and Jazz Effects Wanted.—D 15, this office. 15 A

SUPERB Pianoforte Wanted, German or British make; give particulars.—D 19, this office. 15 A

VIOLIN Strings, best quality; Pianos Tuned, Repaired.—Byrne (Cramer and Wood's), 21 Lower Stephen street.

WANTED, Cottage or Grand Piano; state particulars; no dealers.—C 326, this office. 24 27

WRITE Secretary, Little Theatre, 40 Upper Sackville street, if you require Piano or Gramophone. 15 8

WANTED, very cheap, small Violin Outfit, also ½ 'Cello Cover.—D 207, this office.

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ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Higgins, 1 Aston's quay; highest prices Ladies', Gents', Children's Left Off Clothes, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth; country parcels received. T

ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Cusack, 65 Aungier street, gives highest prices for Left Off Clothing, Furniture, etc.; distance no objection. T

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ABOUT Clothes—Highest prices for Ladies', Gents', Children's Left Off Clothing, Furniture; distance no objection.—Mrs. White, 15 Aungier street. T

BEST quality Dark Grey Lady's Habit, by Mumford, Dublin; large size, side saddle; only worn twice; approval. Address "Z 1402, Dress," this office. 14 F

BLACK Costume, Coat Frock, etc.; medium size, present fashion; perfect order. Address "Z 1468, Dress," this office.

BARGAIN—Wool Velour Wrap Coat (dark sapphire), 14/-. Address "Z 1330, Wrap," this office. 15 A

BEAUTIFUL Musquash Coat, 34in long, £10.—D 211, this office.

CLADDAGH and Connemara Depot—Blankets: Great Sale this month; sold over 500; why delay in ordering a sample; money refunded if not more than pleased; saving 7/6 in every pair; 300 pairs of Blankets reduced to 16/-; 300 pairs, reduced to 18/-; 100 pairs reduced to 22/6; 180 pairs, reduced to 25/-, and 250 pairs reduced to 27/6; all double bed sizes; Grecian Quilts, 12/6 for 6/6, 14/6 for 7/6, in Green, Gold, and Blue; postage 1/6 extra.—13 Shop street, Galway. 17 D

FRENCH Dressmaking, Tailoring, Designing—Madame Clare, 25 Nassau street; Customers' Materials Made Up, Gowns Re-modelled, also Furs. 5 T

FURS Re-modelled by expert Furriers.—Henry H. Taylor, late Switzer's, 50 Grafton st. Stupendous bargains for 14 days only. 16 14

FOR Sale, Two Evening Dresses, £1 each; Evening Shoes, 10/-; no dealers.—D 215, this office.

FURS Altered and Renovated to present fashion, Cleaned and Re-lined; prices moderate.—The Model House, 74 Lower Camden street. 'Phone 3651. 17 C

FOR Sale, Gent's Dinner Jacket Suit, perfect condition, made by fashionable tailor, chest 42", height 5ft. 10", price 70/-; Top Hat, nearly new, 7¼, with leather hat box, 25/.—R O 80, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

GENT'S Morning Suit (Scott), never worn, 5 feet 10 height; slight build.—D 160, this office.

LARGE quantity of Ladies' and Children's Clothes to be Sold. Apply between 10 and 3 o'clock, at 9 St. Kevin's road, Portobello. 14 F

LADY'S (latest fashion) Three-quarter Coat, beaver velour cloth, large beaver (roll) collar, never worn, cost £7, Sell £5 10/- bargain.—D 142, this office.

LADY has for Disposal, Costumes, Dresses, and Children's Outgrown Clothing, perfect condition.—D 161, this office.

LADY'S Laced American Boots (Laird's), new, misfit, size 3, cost 50/-, sell 35/.—R O 74, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 17 A

MODEL Nigger Gabardine Coat Frock, exquisite never worn; cost £10; can be seen any time; medium tall person. Address "Z 1403, Dress," this office. 14 F

ORDERS taken for Handknitting and Crochet, any description; moderate.—D 134, this office.

SENSATIONAL Value in Tweeds at the Claddagh and Connemara Depot—100 Pieces of Irish Suitings, for gents' wear, 17/6 for 11/6 per yard; 70 Pieces Saxony Suitings, lovely designs, 24/- for 14/6; 120 Pieces of Homespun, various patterns, 12/6 for 5/11; Heavy Indigo Blue Serges, for gents' wear, 18/6 for 13/-; best quality Navy Serges, 24/- for 14/-; Ladies' Costume Serges, 4/6, 6/6, 7/6, and 10/6; postage on suit lengths 1/6 extra; order patterns at once.—13 Shop street, Galway. 17 D

WANTED, Ladies' Costumes, Coat Frocks, Coats, Furs, Evening Dresses, Underclothing, Children's Clothes, Boots, etc.; parcels receive prompt attention.—Clothing Bureau, 29 South Anne st. 11 12

WANTED, Riding Outfit (astride), Girl 19, medium; Boots, size 5, good condition.—C 1882, this office. 14 F

WANTED, Light Riding Coat, summer weight, medium size, cheap.—D 85, this office. 16 F

WANTED, Black Costume, perfect, fashionable, length 36, waist 26; cheap.—D 76, this office. 16 F

WANTED, Evening Suit, good condition, boy of 18.—D 235, this office. 16 F

WANTED, Pair Hunting Boots, black tops, gent's size, and must be seen on appro. Address "Z 1474, Boots," this office. 17 A

WHITE Fox (real skin), Fur lined Velour Coat, Navy Cape Cloak, perfect; moderate. Address "Z 1473, Dress," this office. 17 A

WANTED, Dark Coney or Dark Fur Coat, medium, slight; very moderate.—409, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 17 A

HORSES, HARNESS, ETC.

A GOOD Hunter for Hire, up to 15st., well bred, 15 hands, aged no vice, safe jumper.—Bateson, George's avenue, Blackrock, Dublin. 14 F

BAY Pony for Sale, 13 hands, good worker; Spring Cart and Harness; together or separate. Apply M'Grath, Rockbrook, Rathfarnham. 16 F

COMPLETE Set new Gig Harness, nickel silver mounted, £11 5/-.—T. Smith and Son, 93 Marlborough street. T

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FOR Sale, Side Saddle, with Safety Stirrup. Address "Z 1383, Saddle," this office. 14 A

GREY Gelding, rising 5, 15.2, hunted to date, ridden by lady, make a real good hunter, believed sound, £35; Bay Mare, 5, 14.3, quiet in harness, ridden by lady, believed sound, £26; trial, etc.—D 210, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire.

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PONIES (four), very handsome, quiet; price low.—Coachman, Blackrock House, Blackrock. 14 F

SALE, Bay Pony, 13.2, gentle, minds no road nuisance, driven by lady, Trap, rubber tyred, Tub, Tan Harness, as new, splendid turnout, £60. Address "Z 1425, Pony," this office. 15 A

WANTED, all kinds of Old Harness.—C 1619, this office. 12 13

VEHICLES.

INSIDE Traps, "Renowned Quality," large selection to pick from; moderate prices. Rubber Tyres, all sizes, fitted while you wait. Repairs to all classes of Vehicles. Estimates given.—John Hutton and Sons, Ltd., 115 Summerhill Dublin. X

LORRY Covers, Rick Turpaulins, exceedingly cheap, at Weiner's, 125 Upper Abbey st. 8 X

RUBBER Tyres, all sizes, fitted at short notice.—The City Wheel Works, Ltd., Great Brunswick street, Dublin. T

SPRING Dray, leather lined Dray Harness, almost new, fit 15 hands; £14.—D 82, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 16 O

WANTED, Pony, Trap, and Harness; lowest price, age, etc.—P., Wilde's Office, Bray.

WANTED, Inside or Four Wheel Pony Carriage.—D 165, this office.

WANTED, a Furniture Lift Van. Address "Z 1505, Van," this office. 17 A

CATTLE, LIVE STOCK.

A CHOICE lot of nice young Cows, just calved; also a Half Jersey, price £20.—E. Hall, Kill-o'-Grange. 16 B

A SELECTION Blue or White Beveren Rabbits, 10/- each; mated.—Milner, Priory, Rathfarnham, Dublin.

COW for Sale—Well bred young Cow, four years, with second calf at note; owner overstocked. Apply Gardener, Somerton Lodge, Sallynoggin road, Kingstown. 15 A

FERRETS, 13/6; selected, best workers, 14/6; Purse Nets, 10d. each.—Kilroy, Tullamore.

FERRETS, 13/6; selected best Polecat workers, 14/6; Purse Nets, 10d.—Kilroy, Tullamore. 14 B

FOR Sale, pure bred Hereford Bull, coming two year old, fashionable blood, very fruitful, selling for no fault, owner having no further use for him; price moderate. Address, for pedigree and further particulars, "Z 1419, Bull," this office. 15 A

FERRETS, trained workers, 8/6; last year's, 10/6; approval, carriage paid; satisfaction guaranteed; cash with order.—Stubbs, Second avenue, Selly Park, Birmingham.

IRISH Goat Society has for Sale beautiful Anglo-Nubian Swiss Goats, mated to prize winners.—Goat Farm, Trillick, Tyrone. X

WANTED immediately, three strong Badgers. Reply D 127, this office. 16 F

DOGS.

BEAUTIFUL Sable and White Collie Bitch, 12 months, partly trained, good sharp watch; 30/-.—George Mullen, Sligo.

COCKER Pups for Sale, three months old, pure-bred, liver coloured, very handsome; males 40/-, females 30/-. Address "Z 1432, Dogs," this office. 15 A

DOGS CONTINUED.

CHARMING Christmas Gifts—Prince Charles Spaniels, champion pedigree.—Boyce, Millpark House, Enniscorthy. 14 F

DOGS for Sale—Bull, Fox, Irish, Kerry Blue, and Sealyham Terriers; Old English Sheep Dogs, Collies, Pomeranians, Cockers, Retrievers, Setters, and Irish Water Spaniels. Particulars, Tyrrell, Drumconnick, Cavan. 17 C

FOR Sale, Black Smooth Retriever Pups, 10 weeks, well bred; price, males 30/- each. Address Hill, Cherryhill, Maryboro'.

FOR Sale, Pointer Dog, two years; also English Setter Bitch, two years; both thoroughly broken on all game; they are the best snipe and woodcock dogs in Ireland, steady and reliable; lowest price £20 each. Address "Z 1489, Dogs," this office.

KERRY Blue Terrier Dog, two years; powerful watch, real game; registered.—Breen, Camden street, Dublin.

POINTER Puppies for Sale, excellent strain. Address "Z 1476, Dogs," this office. 17 A

SEALYHAM Puppies, 3 months, by Twickenham Blissful, brother to champion Brash Binks, out of Pharmacie, daughter Lammas Peggy, prize winner. Price and particulars from Mockler, Templemore, Tipperary.

SALE, a Red Setter Dog and Bitch, 12 months, almost trained; southdown Larry and Tipperary Nellie strain; first 6 guineas each gets them.—Jerome O'Driscoll, Derinagree, Banteer, Co. Cork. 17 E

SALE, Yorkshire Terrier Puppy, four months, pedigreed. Seen 14 Upper Mount st. 14 B

TWO Irish Water Spaniels, cheap.—20 Desmond avenue, Kingstown. 16 F

WIRE Fox Terriers pedigree puppies and adults, likely winners.—Doctor Brannan, Castledermot. 16 B

WIRE Fox Terriers for Sale, by Sambford Pride—Mooney, 93 Marlborough road, Donnybrook.

WELL bred Black Curly Retriever Dog, three years, excellent watch and ratter, retrieves land and water; highest offer.—John O'Mahony, West Gate, Thurles.

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ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin. T

ALL Modern Languages; private and Class Lessons.—Berlitz School, 4 Grafton street. X

ALL Examinations—Experienced Tutor Grinds, Latin, French, English, mathematics.—D 61, this office. 16 F

FRENCH Classes; advanced, elementary; Diplomé Université de France; vicinity Ballsbridge.—D 206, this office.

FRENCH Conversation; grinds for all examinations; private and class tuitions.—Modern Language School, 22 Ely place. 17 X

HEALTH and Education—Ladies' College, Crosthwaite Park, West, Kingstown; beautifully situated in bracing health resort; highly qualified teachers successfully prepare for examinations and banks; system ensures progress; resident pupils receive individual care; games. Principal, Miss MacPhail, Author Tudor Period, Victorian Era, etc. 20 X

LADY can recommend young French Governess or Companion for Christmas Holidays, four weeks, whilst away; fond of children and country life. Address "Z 1386, Governess," this office. 14 F

NURSERY Governess disengaged 1st December; good needlewoman, fond of children, willing and capable; salary £24 to £30; Dublin or suburbs. Address "Z 1390, Governess," this office.

SHORTHAND, Typewriting Taught half usual time; private tuition.—Murphy, 16 Appian Way. 12 9

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount st. 'Phone, 3055. T

SHORTHAND and Typing rapidly Taught; very moderate terms; sisters at reduction; morning, afternoon, evening. Apply Secretarial Training, 15 Kildare street. 29 X

VISITING Governess desires Pupils, teach first lessons; from 12th December or after Christmas; city; state salary. Address "Z 1456, Governess," this office. 15 A

VISITING Teacher, mornings, English, French, Music, Latin.—D 180, this office. 17 C

WINTER Irish Classes at 16 Kildare street, commencing first week of October. Beginners a speciality. Moderate fees. First class tuition. Native Teacher. Applications invited. 11 X

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AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

COMFORTABLE Home in quiet part of Kildare offered to nice, refined Protestant, willing to teach two little girls, ages 6 and 8; suit retired school teacher. Full particulars, address "Z 1449, Home," this office.

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TEACHER of Dancing required in Dublin College to Take Charge of Class; state terms and free hours.—D 170, this office.

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WANTED, for the country, Governess, R.C.; take charge of two girls, aged 11 and 8; must teach music and be fond of outdoor life; good needlewoman preferred. Address "Z 1250, Governess," this office.

WANTED, Mistress, N.S.; average 10; local aid, furnished house; full qualification not essential. Apply Canon Talbot, Cloghen, Co. Tipperary. 16 A

PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

A COMMODIOUS Premises, with large outoffices, yard, and conveniences, to Let on repairing lease, adjoining Aungier st.; rent £120 and taxes. Apply Rogers, 27 Lower Sheriff st. 16 F

BUSINESS Premises, centrally situated, for Sale, producing about £300 profit rent annually.—D 252, this office.

DAWSON street—Excellent Business Premises for Sale or Letting.—Mr. Holden, Auctioneer, Saint Andrew street.

FARM, Co. Wicklow, 22 miles from Dublin, 90 acres, to Let.—Arthur Jones, Greystones. 15 A

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OFFICES (2 floors), also Store.—32 Lower O'Connell street, Dublin. 17 C

RABBITS—135 acres, Co. Wicklow, well stocked, 300 acres adjoining. Address "Z 1424, Rabbits," this office. 15 A

SPORTS Field, six acres square, level ground, convenient to tram, North side.—D 54, this office. 16 B

SHOP required, city or suburbs; state full particulars.—D 205, this office. 17 A

TO Let, Rabbit Trapping on a farm of 150 acres; trappers accommodated in house.—Mahon, Marshalstown, Castledermot.

TO Estate Owners, Stewards, Trappers, and Dealers—Wanted, regular supplies Rabbits throughout season; hampers supplied; top market prices paid, prompt settlements; Irish references.—Fred Blackburn, Wholesale Market, Dewsbury. X

WANTED to Rent in good business town, Small Shop, with living accommodation. Address "Z 1451, Business," this office. 16 B

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FOR Sale, as a Going Concern, Bakery, Confectionery, and Catering Business on leading road, Belfast; good dwelling accommodation and bakehouse, with portable 4 deck oven, also confectioner's gas oven and hot plate; a good business has been carried on over 18 years; could be greatly developed; going abroad.—Box No. 801, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 15 A

FOR Sale, in leading provincial town, where good business conducted over forty years, well stocked Newsagency, Stationery, Tobacco, Fancy and General Business (owner retiring through ill health), with good turnover; rent £12 per year. Address "Z 1483, Business," this office.

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LADY would Buy small Drapery Business, or Partnership in same.—Box No. 802, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 15 A

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

A SMALL modern House for Sale, Rathgar; possession; £850.—K., 105 Lower Baggot street, after 6. 14 F

AIRFIELD road, Rathgar—Possession, modern House; price only £650; long lease. Keys with MacArthur and Co., 79 Talbot st. 15 A

AUCTION of "Rosetta," Galtrim road, Bray, next Wednesday, at Salerooms of Corrigan and Co., 4 Grafton street, nice modern House, near station and sea; lease 780 years; rent only £7; possession. Sale 1.30 o'clock.

"ASHLEIGH," 25 Cambridge avenue, Ringsend; semi detached residence, with possession; 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, electric light; yard, with extensive plot of ground, about 50ft. x 45ft.; ground rent £8, lease 999 years.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

BELFAST—Vacant Houses for Sale and Furnished Houses to Let. Enquiries invited.—W. and E. Garrett, 5 Bedford street, Belfast. T

BELFAST—Commodious terrace House, 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, boxroom; Antrim road district; possession; £950.—Box 799, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 15 A

CLONTARF—19 Charlemont road, five minutes from tram; sittingroom, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, bathroom (copper cylinder), scullery, hot and cold water; all in splendid order; small garden; lease 81 years from 1919; ground rent £4 per annum; clear possession.—C 1586, this office. 15 A

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DETACHED House, Stillorgan, possession; nicely situated; every accommodation; price only £1,200. Keys with MacArthur's, 79 Talbot st. 15 A

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DALKEY—Immediate possession, beautiful Residence, 12 rooms, bath, h., c., two outside balconies, greenhouse, garage, large garden; long lease; £2,200; view 11 to 1 any day.—Glengariffe House, Dalkey. 16 B

ENGLAND—For Sale, several Inns and Beerhouses, Farms and Holdings in finest agricultural counties; part found; state requirements.—Goddard and Campbell, Valuers, Hereford. 17 O

FOR Sale, immediate possession, non-basement House on St. Lawrence road, Clontarf; 2 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, electric light, h. and c. water, bath; lease 900 years; head rent, £3 16/-; price, £950.—C 1872, this office. 14 F

FAIRVIEW—Possession, good House; price only £550. Orders to view from MacArthur's, 79 Talbot st. 15 A

FOR Sale, 13 Albert road, newly built modern House; seven apartments. Apply D. J. Dowling, Builder, 29 Albert road, Sandycove. 15 A

FOR Private Sale, 39 and 40 Bayview avenue, North Strand; 6 apartments, long leases; ground rent £2; underlet at £33 each. Full particulars from Agent, James Ball, 24 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh.

FOR Sale, with clear possession, fine Dwellinghouse, Leeson Park, Dublin, containing 3 reception rooms, 5 family bedrooms, 3 servants' rooms, bathroom (hot and cold), w.c., etc.; electric light, telephone, stable; new drains recently laid; long lease; to be seen by appointment only. For full particulars, apply to Messrs. E. and G. Stapleton, Solicitors, 29 Molesworth street, Dublin. 13 X

KIMMAGE road, best part—Modern House for Sale; early possession.—D 193, this office.

MARYBOROUGH—For Sale, two good Detached Modern Villa Houses; contain 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), etc., kitchen and pantry, good gardens; long lease; possession of one. For full particulars, C 1651, this office. 14 F

MALAHIDE road—Cottage style, possession, price £750; Charlemont road, possession, £650. Keys with MacArthur's, 79 Talbot st. 15 A

MACARTHUR and Co., Auctioneers, Offices and Salerooms, 79 Talbot street—Where we Sell Houses. 17 O

ORWELL Park, Rathgar—For Sale, an attractive modern non-basement House, well built, good order, £2,500.—R O 76, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

PEMBROKE Vale, Herbert road, Bray—Handsome, Detached Villa, charming grounds; immediate possession.—3 Duncairn avenue, Bray. 16 B

SUTTON—Detached Residence on acre; lease 300 years, rent £5; possession; price £1,050. Apply Tyndall and Co., 11 Fleet st. 13 F

SALE, with possession, Borcette, Putland road, Bray, unique, Detached Residence, perfect order, sheltered, with every modern labour saving appliance.—3 Duncairn avenue, Bray. 16 B

HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED.

SALE, with possession, 3 Mount Vernon, Dollymount; secluded, detached, double fronted, sheltered House; garage; tram line.—D 52, this office. 16 B

SALE, with possession, 1 Ardilaun Villa, Dollymount; ideal situation, tram line.—D 53, this office. 16 B

SALE, pretty Cottage, near the seaside at Dalkey; five rooms, kitchen, hot bath, two w.c.'s; possession.—D 258, this office. 18 8

TERENURE—Splendid House, possession, £825. Seen on orders to view from MacArthur and Co., House Agents, 79 Talbot st. 15 A

VACANT possession, 37 St. Mary's road; 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, 2 w.c.'s, electric light and bells. Apply 39. 18 B

WELLINGTON place—Good Residence, possession; close to tram; price £1,240. Keys with MacArthur and Co., 79 Talbot st. 15 A

WELL built family Residence, Monkstown; non basement; possession; £850.—D 103, this office.

8 AND 9 North James's street, North Strand; two neat Cottage Houses, each having 4 apartments; lease 700 years; ground rent £2 10/- each, let at 12/- each weekly.—MacArthur's Auction Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

18 and 19 Newport street (possession); two storeyed house and large yard, in very populous district. Premises require repairs. Ground rent £16, lease 80 years.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

26, 27, 23 Lower Buckingham street; two large houses and yard; let to tenants producing £2 5/10 weekly; ground rent on entire £20, lease 400 years. Property is suitable for small capitalists.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

28 Digby terrace, Mountjoy street (possession); sittingroom, diningroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, cold bath. Premises are newly decorated. Ground rent £5, lease 200 years.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

29 Morehampton road, Donnybrook—Excellent Residence, nine apartments, first class decorative order, electric lighting and heating, garage. Mr. Holden's Auction next Wednesday, Saint Andrew street.

33 Synge street (possession); choice residential position, facing St. Kevin's R.C. Church; 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bath, kitchen; garden with greenhouse; ground rent £3 10/-, lease 999 years. Caretaker on premises.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

40 Marguerite road, to be Sold, with possession, containing seven apartments, bathroom, h. and c. water; hot press and other, large scullery (encaustic tiled), greenhouse heated with pipe and boiler.

41 Montpelier Hill (possession), off Infirmary road; compact modern house, sittingroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen; lease for ever, ground rent £2. Keys at No. 31.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

82 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh (possession); modern residence, sittingroom, diningroom, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen, bath, electric light; ground rent £4 12/6, lease 975 years. Orders to view from Auctioneers.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday Next, 24th November. 17 O

120 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf; lease 999 years; rent £4; possession; price £1,050. Apply Tyndall, 11 Fleet st. 17 B

HOUSES TO LET.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

DETACHED House, Let or Sell, possession; 7 rooms, up to date in every way, garden, fowl run, etc., Coolgariff, Stillorgan (between new and old road); 12 minutes train, 25 tram.—Caretaker. 16 B

FURNISHED House to Let, Rathmines, for six months; two bedrooms, sittingroom, diningroom, kitchen. Address "Z 1408, Yard," this office. 14 F

FURNISHED House to Let, Rathmines, for six months; two bedrooms, sittingroom, diningroom, kitchen, w.c., etc.—D 63, this office. 16 F

PALMERSTON Park, adjoining—Non basement, six bedrooms; £125 yearly.—Arthur Jones, Agents, Greystones. 15 A

SEMI Detached House to Let, Glasnevin district; £12 monthly, six months.—D 256, this office.

TO Let on term, No. 4 Lansdowne Gardens, Shelbourne road, now vacant; 8 rooms, kitchen, pantries, clock room, etc., electric light, large garden with gate entrance; £119, free. Open 11 to 12 daily except Saturday and Sunday.—D 103, this office.

TO Let, Furnished, for some months, Country House, facing South; four miles from Dublin, one from train and tram; nominal rent to quiet suitable tenants.—Everett, Sibyl Hill, Raheny.

TO Let, Furnished House, on good road, Rathmines; 4 bed, 2 sitting, piano, kitchen, gas cooker; £10 monthly.—R O 79, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

HOUSES WANTED.

HOUSE, all Furniture or Residue Wanted; pay cash, immediately.—D 22, this office. 15 A

HOUSE Wanted, about £470; possession.—D 253, this office. 17 O

SMALL Furnished House Wanted, Rathgar, Rathmines; moderate rent, careful tenant.—R O 78, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

WANTED to Rent, 6 to 8 roomed House, South side; key money given.—C 1977, this office. 15 A

WANTED, Unfurnished House, South side; rent from £30 to £60 a year.—C 1987, this office. 17 A

WANTED House or Cottage, city or seaside; £300 £400; or join another large House, couple.—D 71, this office. 16 F

WANTED, House, South suburbs or county; large garden or plot ground; £60 to £100 yearly.—D 113, this office. 16 F

WANTED, a Small Furnished House to Rent, city or suburbs. Address "Z 1471, House," this office. 16 F

WANTED, Furnished House immediately; £5 weekly; telephone.—D 121, this office. 16 F

APARTMENTS TO LET.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

AT 17 Northumberland road—Rooms, with or without Board; visitors or permanent. T

APARTMENTS—Lists from Central Bureau Agency, 25 Nassau street. Enclose stamp. T

AUBURN Hotel and Boardinghouse—Comfortable home; moderate.—11 Rathmines road. T

APARTMENTS TO LET CONTINUED.

APARTMENT Agency, 45 Henry st., for comfortable Apartments, Flats. Call for lists. 10 T

AT 81 Botanic road—Single Bedroom, suitable business man; electric light; partial board optional. 14 F

APARTMENTS, vicinity Leeson Park; Bed and Breakfast, 35/- weekly.—O 1940, this office. 15 A

APARTMENTS—Large, well Furnished Combined Room. Gentleman dining out; bath, attendance; N. C. road, Park end.—D 93, this office. 16 F

APARTMENTS—Beautifully Furnished large Bedroom (two beds), also Sittingroom, in private house, close to Provisional Government; every up to date convenience, electric, 'phone; best cooking and attendance; full or partial board; best and liberal food; terms moderate; suit two gentlemen.—D 126, this office. 16 B

AT 2 St. Alphonsus road, Drumcondra—Rooms, Board optional; visitors or permanent. 16 B

AT 40 Harrington street—Furnished Double bedded Room, use of sittingroom; Partial Board if required; bath. 17 C

A PAYING Guest (gentleman) or two gentlemen, sharing large Bedroom, received in professional man's house; suit two students; large garden; South side, near city.—D 181, this office.

A HALF, beautifully Furnished House, every convenience, 30/- weekly.—47 York road, Rathmines. 17 C

APARTMENTS—Two Gentlemen can have comfortable Lodgings, large bedroom and sittingroom, full or partial board. Seen any day between 1 and 3 o'clock, or evenings after 6 o'clock, 55 Ranelagh road. 17 B

AIRLAWN, Terenure—Private House, 2 bedrooms, sittingroom, good attendance, and good locality. 17 C

APARTMENTS, Board Residence, full, partial, day, week, permanent; hot bath, electric light; close to tram line; stable, coachhouse or garage; nearly opposite Botanical Gardens.—Fairfield, Glasnevin. 17 C

A SELF contained Unfurnished Top Flat to Let.—12 Upper Mount street.

COMFORTABLE Home offered elderly or delicate lady; Protestant; kind care; select private house; 35/- weekly; South suburbs.—774, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge. 14 F

COMBINED Room, nicely Furnished; suit two ladies or gentlemen dining out.—20 Pembroke road. 14 F

COMFORTABLE Bedroom, partial board; suit gentlemen; private house.—28 Kenilworth Park, Harold's Cross.

COMFORTABLE Combined Front Room, bath, gas cooker.—26 Whitton road, Terenure.

COMFORTABLE Home for single lady, South side; Bedroom, Sittingroom, Whole or Part Board and attendance.—D 178, this office.

COMFORTABLE Bed Sittingroom, suit gentleman, dining out; private house.—41 Leinster road, Rathmines.

COMFORTABLE Bedroom, use sittingroom, bath; suit Protestant business girl.—D 171, this office. 17 A

COMFORTABLE Apartments, private house.—55 Dartmouth square, Leeson Park.

COMFORTABLY Furnished Bed Sittingroom, partial board, suit gentleman dining out; electric light; attendance; moderate.—11 Belgrave road, Rathmines. 14 X

DRAWINGROOM Flat, Unfurnished, to Let; three rooms, kitchenette, hot bath; private house, North side.—O 1976, this office. 15 A

DOUBLE bedded Front Bedroom, large and well Furnished, also Sittingroom, use of or exclusive, in bright modern house.—43 Upper Kenilworth Park.

FURNISHED Rooms, use of bath, kitchen, no attendance.—11 Upper Leeson street. 15 A

FURNISHED Apartments, or Part House, kitchen, sitting, one, two bedrooms; Ballsbridge.—D 77, this office. 16 B

FLAT to Let, Unfurnished, four rooms, kitchen, and bathroom, electric light and gas; self contained. Seen any afternoon, Merrion House, Lower Fitzwilliam street. 16 B

FURNISHED, select Drawingroom Flat; sittingroom with piano, three bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom with geyser; £125 free. Apply 114 Stephen's Green.

FURNISHED Bedroom, Sittingroom, same floor; bath, use of kitchen; private house; suit married couple, no children.—D 106, this office.

FURNISHED Bedroom and Sittingroom; cleanliness, good cooking, attendance.—86 Lower Baggot st.

GENTLEFOLK, having perfectly appointed house, South side, offer Gentlemen superior Board Residence; sittingroom, late dinner; moderate.—D 109, this office. 16 F

GENTLEMAN can have nice comfortable Bedroom and use of sittingroom, bath (hot, cold). Partial Board; Sydney parade vicinity.—D 147, this office.

HALL Flat, Unfurnished, to Let, Merrion square; five apartments; rent £100 yearly.—D 27, this office. 15 A

IN Select House, Rathmines, comfortably Furnished Bedroom to Let; suit Protestant gentlewoman, dining out; references required.—D 152, this office.

MARRIED Couple, two ladies or gentlemen offered nicely Furnished Rooms, attendance, bath, electric light; very reasonable. Write 47 Park avenue, Sandymount.

MALE Nurse receives Gentlemen own home; every kindness and consideration assured; moderate terms. Apply Inniscarra, Park avenue, Sydney Parade.

NEWLY decorated Flat to Let, select district, 3d. tram.—D 117, this office. 16 B

NORTH Circular road, near Phoenix Park—Furnished Flat, three rooms.—D 190, this office.

ONE or two Protestant ladies, dining out, can have Combined Room, Stephen's Green vicinity.—D 108, this office. 16 F

QUIET comfortable Home for Elderly Lady or Invalid, South side.—D 179, this office.

SMALL Furnished Flat, suitable ladies, students, or others; no attendance; references.—R O 64, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 15 A

SUITE of Rooms (five) cooker, first, second floors, Unfurnished; professional locality. Address "Z 1494, Apartments," this office. 17 C

SISTERS or young married couple—To be Let, nicely Furnished Sittingroom and Bedroom (Double), with use of kitchen, in quiet, nice house; few minutes of R.C. and I.C. churches and 1½d. tram to Pillar; North side; references exchanged.—D 192, this office. 17 C

SUPERIOR Flat, three apartments, separate bath, w.c.; Mountjoy square.—D 56, this office. 15 B

TO Let, Half House, Furnished; suit two ladies or married couple, Protestants; off Strand road, Sandymount.—773, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge. 14 F

TWO Furnished Rooms to Let; suit married couple or business people; Eccles street.—O 1893, this office.

TWO Gentlemen can have comfortable Bedroom (separate beds), partial board; h. and c. bath; Drumcondra district.—O 1860, this office. 10 O

TO Let, Rooms, Unfurnished, or Flats, 10 minutes from Dundrum Station.—D 79, this office. 16 B

TO Let, Two Furnished Rooms, suit lady; use of kitchen; no attendance.—Ashfield road, Ranelagh. D 164, this office.

UNFURNISHED Drawingroom Flat to Let, bathroom, electric light, etc.; also Hall Flat, with every convenience. On view daily from 3 to 4, 15 Earlsfort terrace. 14 F

UNFURNISHED, self contained Hall Flat, best part Fitzwilliam square.—O 1993, this office. 15 A

UNFURNISHED Half House, 4 rooms; select position, tram line, Clontarf.—D 55, this office. 16 B

UNFURNISHED—Two or three Rooms, use kitchen, bath, etc.; Rathgar.—D 159, this office. 17 C

UNFURNISHED Flat to Let; seen any time.—101 Lower Baggot st.

WELL Furnished Rooms to Let; full or partial board.—55 Upper Leeson street. 10 12

WELL Furnished Combined Room, Kenilworth road; one or two ladies dining out; no attendance; reference. Apply The Domestic Stores, 5 Rathgar road. 15 X

23 Herbert place—To Let for four months from 21st November, Furnished self contained Flat; 2 reception, 2 bedrooms, bathroom (hot and cold), etc.; kitchen. May be seen any day, 2-5. 13 X

APARTMENTS WANTED.

A FURNISHED Flat Wanted for three ladies, Rathmines, Rathgar; moderate; state terms.—R O 73, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

GENTLEMAN requires Sittingroom (containing piano) and Bedroom, or Combined; partial board; good cooking and piano essential; state terms, which must be moderate.—C 1939, this office. 16 B

LADY as Paying Guest; little trouble; Dublin, Kingstown; terms, please.—D 153, this office.

LADY requires Board Residence, or Apartments with Board, South side; Protestant.—R. L., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

MARRIED Couple, one child, Want Unfurnished Flat, three rooms, bath, cooker; Sandymount, Fairview preferred; reasonable.—D 97, this office.

WOULD Lady having nice Home take Invalid Lady with attendant, Paying Guest? convenient South city, tram; moderate terms.—O 1981, this office. 15 A

WANTED by widow one or two Unfurnished Rooms, or would Caretake Offices in return for apartments.—D 198, this office. 17 O

WANTED, Furnished Apartments for lady and three children; 2 or 3 rooms, bath, light, and use of kitchen, no attendance; from £1 to £1 10/- weekly according to accommodation; South side preferred. Address "Z 1476, Apartments," this office. 17 A

WANTED, Room, use kitchen, 7/-, for respectable woman; can give service, cook; copies references.—D 69, this office.

WANTED, Flat, Furnished or Unfurnished; good residential district, Drumcondra.—D 188, this office. 17 O

WANTED for elderly gentleman, Combined Room with attendance, South side; moderate.—696, Irish Times Branch Office, Ranelagh.

WANTED, Bedroom and Sittingroom, or use sittingroom, two ladies dining out, vicinity Rathmines or Rathgar; Protestants.—R O 77, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG married couple, no children, require Furnished Flat or would share half house; South side; highest references; state terms.—D 105, this office.

YOUNG Gentleman, professionally engaged, desires Partial Board, moderate, in good Catholic family, neighbourhood Palmerston Park.—D 167, this office.

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

BELFAST—To Let, large terrace House, in select Protestant locality, to Purchaser of Contents.—Box No. 800, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 15 A

BALLYDONEREA Lodge, Kilcoole, Greystones—Large comfortably Furnished House, bathroom (h.c.), garden; near station; winter £25, longer; also smaller House. Seen Saturday, Sunday, any time.—Miss Dunne. Particulars 32 Upper Merrion st. 'Phone 2539.

BRAY—Advertisements for "Irish Times" will be received by Miss McCann, 96 Main st., Bray. X

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FURNISHED House, modern conveniences, near train, tram, garage.—1 Connaught place, Kingstown. 14 F

FURNISHED Detached House to Let, close Stillorgan station, ... links; four bedrooms, two sittingrooms, bath ... large garden. Apply Franks and Oulton, 21 Lower Fitzwilliam street. 15 A

FURNISHED House to Let at Sutton, £5 month to careful tenant.—C 1973, this office. 15 C

FURNISHED House to Let; electric light throughout. Apply McEvoy, Lucan. 17 C

GREYSTONES—Charming small semi detached Furnished House to be Let for winter months, Church road; small family. Apply 20 Palmerston Gardens, Dublin. 17 O

HOWTH—To Let, small Furnished House. Apply 23 Ely place, Dublin. 17 X

KINGSTOWN—Modern compact Villa, select locality; non-basement; well furnished; sixteen guineas monthly.—O 1836, this office. 14 F

KILLINEY—Two roomed detached Cottage, Furnished, to Let; water laid on; close to station; rent 15/6 weekly. Address "Z 1401, Cottage," this office. 14 F

KILLINEY—Comfortable Houses, moderate, winter; bathrooms, billiards, golf, excellent accommodation. Exham, Woodbank. 16 B

KINGSTOWN or Monkstown—Wanted in January non basement House; modern, if possible; 2 sitting, 4 bedrooms, bath (hot and cold); full particulars, rent or price, etc.—M. Wilde's Office, Bray. 16 B

KINGSTOWN—Furnished House, sea front; near tram, train; moderate.—D 216, this office.

MALAHIDE—Furnished House to Let for winter term. Apply Howard, Main street. 15 A

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY CONTINUED.

MONKSTOWN—Well Furnished House to Let for 6 to 12 months; three sitting, 4 bedrooms, bath, maid's room, gas cooker; moderate rent; two maids left if required.—F 79, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 15 A

TO Let, Furnished, on lease "Littlehampton," Burnaby, Greystones; two reception, four bedrooms, h. and c. water, electric light; immediate possession. Address "Z 1467, House," this office. 16 B

TO Let, Unfurnished House, Crosthwaite Park, Kingstown, 9 rooms, two bathrooms, garden.—D 199, this office. 17 C

17 Sandycove avenue, East, to Let, furnished, winter, 3, 4, 6 months; moderate. 15 A

APARTMENTS TO LET AND WANTED.

BRAY—Unfurnished 5 roomed Half House Flat; newly decorated; select position; water, cooker, lighting.—O 57, this office. 15 B

BRAY—Furnished Flat to Let.—655, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 17 C

BUSINESS Gentleman requires select Bedroom; dine out; bath; quietness essential; Kingstown, Sandycove vicinity; permanent or winter; inclusive terms.—D 214, this office.

BRAY—Furnished self contained Flat to Let, winter months.—657, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray.

CLARINDA Park, North—Well Furnished Flat, every convenience.—M 103, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 14 F

DALKEY—Half large House to be Let, Unfurnished; £5 monthly.—D 197, this office.

DALKEY—Well Furnished Flat to Let; cooker; sunny aspect. Address "Z 1499, Apartments," this office. 17 O

FOXROCK—Flat, top, three rooms, bath, gas, Unfurnished.—C 1884, this office. 14 F

FLAT, Unfurnished, Belgrave square, Monkstown, self contained; choice position. Apply 7 Belgrave road. 15 A

FLATS, Unfurnished, to Let at 29 Crosthwaite Park, West. Apply, Young, 15 Royal terrace E., Dun Laoghaire. 17 O

GREYSTONES—Well Furnished Rooms to Let, near sea, golf, and train; moderate terms.—D 204, this office.

HOME in Country near Dublin; moderate.—O 1956, this office. 15 A

HOME (Sandycove) Offered Protestant Lady, Gentleman; separate board; terms, interview. Address "Z 1495, Home," this office.

KINGSTOWN—Lady or Gentleman invalid received in private home; only one patient kept; every care and attention; would undertake slightly mental case.—C 1649, this office. 14 F

KINGSTOWN, Clarinda Park—Gentleman or Lady Paying Guest; quiet, refined house; £2 17/- weekly; good cooking.—94, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 16 F

KINGSTOWN—Furnished Flat, 4 rooms, kitchenette, gas cooker; £9 monthly.—F 4, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 17 C

KINGSTOWN—Two Furnished Flats, self contained; moderate rents. Apply Mrs. O'Connor, 25 Crosthwaite Park. X

KINGSTOWN—Gentleman going abroad till April wishes Let, on reduced terms one or two Bedrooms, Sittingroom, attendance; 2 minutes from links.—O 1900, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

LADY desires French Lady as Guest for Christmas holidays; French conversation.—Mrs. Browne, Rosslyn, Bray.

LADY and Gentleman require comfortable Sittingroom and Bedroom, with two beds, use of bathroom and attendance; on the sea front of Kingstown or neighbourhood. Reply, stating terms, to D 202, this office.

MONKSTOWN—Half House, well Furnished; 4 rooms, kitchen, bath; £2 weekly.—Box E 5040, Kenny's Irish Advertising Headquarters, Dublin. 15 F

MONKSTOWN—Single Room, partial Board, 25/- weekly; Double Bedded Room, partial Board, £1 each; Rooms from 10/-; near train and tram; short period.—D 84, this office. 16 F

MONKSTOWN, Belgrave square—Comfortable Flat, or whole House, to Let for fortnight; attendance if required; very moderate.—D 83, this office. 16 F

MATERNITY Home—Patients received, highly trained Nurse, experienced.—"Toronto," Meath road, Bray. 17 O

PAYING Guest (Lady, I.C.) invited Share Country House, Fermanagh; near railway station, church. Address "Z 1354, Guest," this office. 14 F

SANDYCOVE—Comfortably Furnished Hall Flat or Half House to Let; bathroom; good locality; moderate.—Z 991, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

TO Let, 5 Unfurnished Rooms, large select house, Kingstown; every convenience. Apply Agency, 24 Main street, Blackrock. 16 F

WANTED, Paying Guest or Lodger, Co. Wexford; near churches, post office, sea. Address "Z 1422, Guest," this office. 14 A

WANTED by married couple, Sitting and two Bedrooms, with attendance, with small family, no other lodgers, neighbourhood Blackrock, Monkstown, Kingstown; Protestant house preferred. Reply, stating particulars D 3, this office.

£3 Month—To Let, Kingstown, Furnished Double Bedroom and Kitchen.—D 100, this office.

£7 Month—To Let, Furnished Kingstown, Self-Contained Flat, good situation.—D 99, this office.

ENGLAND, SCOTLAND, WALES, ISLE OF MAN.

BEAUMARIS (facing the Straits)—Furnished or Unfurnished roomy House to Let; 2 reception, 5 principal bedrooms, bath, w.c., etc., spacious attics, ground floor kitchen.—Box F 804, Lee and Nightingale, advt. Offices, Liverpool. 14 F

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COTTAGE to Let, two miles from Portmadoc, quarter mile from village, isolated, beautiful mountain views; two sitting, four bedrooms, kitchen, attic, walled garden. Apply Mrs. R. M. Greaves, Portmadoc, North Wales. X

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WOMAN AND HER HOME.

Care of the Teeth.

A DUTY THAT EVERYBODY OWES HER HEALTH AND LOOKS.

MANY hints are given nowadays for the improvement and preservation of woman's beauty. Her complexion, her hair, her figure—slender or otherwise—even her eyelashes, all receive their share of attention. But the care of one important asset in her battery of charms is sadly left to the imagination—namely, her teeth.

What woman can possibly look well, though arrayed in all the glory of an immaculate gown of the most becoming shade and style, if her teeth are neglected? Not only is appearance affected, but good health suffers—that greatest of gifts the gods can bestow.

Every woman, therefore, if she values health, must attend carefully to her teeth.

First Essential.

The first essential is to choose a tooth-paste or powder and a good tooth-brush, with rather hard bristles. An old brush, soft and worn, is a deadly enemy to cleanliness, and may be the unknown cause of many ills. The care of the brush is also very important. It should always have free access to the air, and should be hung on a nail or placed in an upright position after use, so that it may dry and drain properly.

The best time to thoroughly cleanse the teeth is at night, after the last meal. Cold water should be used in preference to warm, as it acts as a tonic to the gums and keeps them healthy.

Everyone knows the importance of brushing the teeth up and down rather than across; but everyone, perhaps, does not know the equal importance of thoroughly rinsing away the smallest trace of powder or paste that may remain between the teeth. An occasional change of tooth powder may also be made with advantage. The use of the tooth-brush twice a day is strongly recommended.

A woman noted for her beauty, and whose greatest charm was her dazzling, pearly teeth, being asked the secret of such perfection, confessed that, as a general rule, she cleaned her teeth after every meal. This method certainly seems very troublesome, but in her case the result fully justified it.

Foods which require plenty of mastication are better for the teeth than those which do not. Wholemeal bread is excellent.

Visit the Dentist.

There is still another important duty to be considered, and one that is by no means easy to carry out. At the very first sign of decay (the tiniest speck) or the first hint of pain, go at once to your dentist—don't stop to think; it is wiser to do that afterwards. Thinking over the probabilities of such a visit tends to diminish one's courage slowly but surely, until, perhaps, the visit is indefinitely postponed, incalculable harm being the result.

Nothing is gained in this world without persistent effort and trouble, and certainly the preservation of teeth is no exception. Their pearly appearance, admired and envied by all, is only acquired by daily attention, constant care, and timely courage.

C. J.

THE SHOP WINDOWS.

MANY NEW POINTS OF INTEREST.

MANY new points of interest, both in detail of design and trimming, are to be seen in the windows of the modistes.

Sleeves have become highly important and, in many cases, strikingly original. The short sleeve has disappeared, and we have voluminous affairs of transparent material, embroidered and sometimes banded with fur; the religieuse sleeve; the glorified "bishop," gathered tightly at the wrist; the slashed sleeve, and that of the long tight-fitting mitten variety. Truly, it may be said of the latest frocks, "By their sleeves ye shall know them."

Particularly charming are the new blouses; they are high-necked and finely trimmed with tucks. In georgette, crepe, velvet, and even fine kid, they add distinction to the winter *tailleurs*.

Collars, also, have made their appearance on many smart coat frocks, and there is no doubt that they form a becoming frame for the face. Fastened up to the chin with tiny buttons, and wrinkling up to the ears, they banish all fear of winter's stormy blast.

Fur Trimmings.

Fur can do almost anything it chooses, and is, therefore, seen in most unexpected places. On the hems of frocks, round waists and necks, on hats and bags, and up and down panels. Monkey fur is exceptionally smart when it is used to trim the sleeves and skirts of light-coloured afternoon gowns.

There is no doubt at all this season about the after-life of an ostrich, for it finds its celestial fields on the most beautiful evening frocks. It outlines the hoops of lacy crinolines, forms giant rosettes on velvet gowns, and hems the wide skirts of the *jeune fille*. It appears on mamma's hat, too, its softening effects having quite dethroned the spikey quills that were worn earlier in the season.

Hems of skirts are too widely varied for adequate description. Many have a band of fur, a ruffle of lace, or a length of pleated ribbon to finish them. Flowers, too, are used lavishly in this respect, and most charming are the skirts edged with large shaded blossoms.

Variety and originality in design, combined with the unexpected in detail, are essentials of the present mode.

FLORENCE DREW.

M. MARCEL'S PROTEST

AGAINST PRESENT-DAY HATS.

Women are hiding the light of beautiful hair beneath the bushel of ridiculous hats, according to M. Marcel, the fiftieth anniversary of whose invention, the Marcel wave, has been celebrated by the coiffeurs of France.

"There can be no really popular and beautiful mode of dressing women's hair as long as women hide their tresses and curls beneath unsightly picture hats and laughable toques," Marcel declares.

"The present-day hat is the enemy of women's best appearance. A beautiful mode of dressing the hair cannot exist so long as women grasp their headgear and pull it down over their hair with a rush.

"While no specially beautiful coiffeur will be invented until women's hats are made suitable to receive it, a new style of dressing the hair is coming into fashion this winter. It is the Greek coiffeur, an adaptation of the mode of 1830, in which the hair is brought to the back of the head with the aid of hair waving converted into a mass of curls."

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HINTS THAT HELP.

When a piece of china has been broken apply common alum melted in an old iron spoon to the broken parts. Leave to dry thoroughly. The mended china can be washed in quite hot water, and will not come "unstuck" if treated in this way.

By cutting the good parts of an old mattress into squares and covering with cretonne, you will be able to provide yourself with cushions for chairs or window seats.

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FOR THE COOK.

CARROT WINE.

Wash and scrape the carrots, cut into pieces, place them in a wooden tub, and bruise them well with a mallet or rolling pin. To five pounds of carrots add one gallon of cold water. Let it remain for three days, stirring three or four times during the day, and on the fourth day strain through a hair sieve, and add three pounds of loaf sugar, stirring until quite dissolved; then add the rind of a lemon. Let the liquor remain in the tub from four to six days, when fermentation should begin to subside and a crust form, which should be skimmed off. Put in a cask with half an ounce of isinglass, and in a fortnight cork it down.

THE SHORT SKIRT.

POPULARITY CANNOT BE SHAKEN.

WHEN short skirts were introduced it was predicted that their reign in Fashion's domain would be brief. Tardily and timidly they at first made their appearance. As their comfort and practical advantages were more and more realised their popularity was established.

Nothing has shown woman's determination and good sense so much as her allegiance to the short skirt.

Fashion has many times tried insinuatingly to cajole her to again adopt the trailing absurdities of the past. Fascinating little trains, floating side panels, long sashes are all temptations adopted by Fashion to get in the thin edge of the wedge for the introduction once more of the long skirt.

A Revolt.

Most women aspire to the latest styles, and are certainly meek and very long-suffering where Fashion's decrees are concerned. Still, there is a limit even to their patience, for they have made a stand at last, and have refused point-blank to be wheedled back to the long skirt. They are justified in their determination.

No regrets are felt for the trying period, now past, when a woman, however burdened with parcels, had always to keep one hand free to hold up her flowing skirts—those collectors of dust and germs, those hindrances to free movement.

From a hygienic point of view alone, the short skirt has well earned its universal adoption. As a thing of beauty, too, it has advantages. What is more pleasing than the trim, neat, short walking skirt now so generally seen? It has also completely revolutionised one item of the feminine wardrobe—namely, footwear.

What woman would now dare to appear in the sloppy, badly-cut shoe that her sister deemed good enough to wear with the long, trailing skirt of the days gone by?

Smart Shoes.

As the short skirt has become more popular, so has the smart shoe. Women can no longer afford to appear in ugly shoes, as their feet are now so much in evidence. Not so long ago British women were notorious for their dowdy footwear. Now, thanks to the influence of the short skirt, their dainty, well-cut shoes bear comparison the world over.

The ultra-short skirt is to be condemned. Like every other exaggeration of Fashion, it is grotesque and loses all beauty. About twelve inches off the ground is an ideal length for the walking skirt. Gowns for indoor wear may be permitted a little licence to give a softening effect—such as an alluring long sash or fluttering drapery.

Last, but by no means least, the short skirt has a wonderfully youthful effect, even on those of mature years.

The present-day skirt, if not exaggerated, is ideal. It is neither too short nor too long, too narrow nor too wide.

Let women continue to show their good sense and individuality in other directions as wisely as in their choice of the short skirt.

B. M.

BRUSHES.

Your brushes deserve careful attention. Far too many women neglect them.

Some of the better toothbrushes are sold in sealed wrappers, which is a desirable packing; but in any case a toothbrush should be allowed to stand in a weak antiseptic solution before being used for the first time.

Hairbrushes are best cleaned by being dipped into soda and warm water until the bristles are white. Ammonia is perhaps as useful as soda, and may be used with good results. Soap softens the bristles and should be avoided. It is never advisable to put the whole brush into water. The bristles should not be wiped with a cloth. The brush should be repeatedly dipped and shaken until it is clean, then rinsed in cold water and put to dry in the sun or before the fire.

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Shrunken blankets can still be used if a strip of material is sewn on the ends for tucking in.

To make the most of the juices in a roasting fowl turn it on its breast instead of its back when roasting. The juices will then run into the breast, keeping it deliciously moist.

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BOY OF 14 FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER.

At the Hants Assizes Leonard Kerigan, aged 14, was indicted for the murder of George Smith, aged 3, at Portsmouth, July 20th. He tied the boy's legs and put him in a box, where he was found dead days later.

It was shown that the prisoner was an epileptic, and the jury found him guilty of the charge, but insane at the time.

He was ordered to be detained during His Majesty's pleasure.

COOMBE HOSPITAL.

The monthly meeting for November of the Board of Guardians and Directors of this Hospital was held in the boardroom, when there were present—Alderman J. Hubbard Clark, High Sheriff, in the chair; James Robinson, M.A.; Charles H. Chaytor; W. H. F. Verschoyle, Rev. Thomas H. Seale, M.A.; Louis Cassidy, M.B. (Master); Michael J. Gibson, M.D. Apology received from Walter Scott.

The Registrar reported the decease of Mr. P. W. Tunney, who had been a member of the Board of the Hospital since 1920, and it was resolved, on the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Verschoyle, that: "The Board of this Hospital, having heard of the decease of Mr. P. W. Tunney, a member of the Board since 1920, desire to place on record their deep regret at his untimely demise, and hereby tender to Mrs. Tunney and her family their sincere sympathy in their deep affliction."

The minutes of the last Board meeting, also those of the House Committee, were read and signed, correspondence of a varied character was considered, and rulings made thereon. Letter read from the High Sheriff enclosing a cheque for £700, being the first instalment from the Committee of the Matron's Hundred Thousand Shilling Fund, for which the Board desire to express their gratitude, as well as to Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor for £25, being amount of a bequest from the late Miss Jane O'Reilly, and the Registrar was instructed to acknowledge same with the best thanks of the Board.

Routine business having been transacted, the Board adjourned.

The Governors desire to thank the following kind friends for the financial help for the Hospital:—£50—From a Friend to the Hospital; £25—Miss Jane O'Reilly, deceased, per Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor; £6—Dispensary Collection; £5 5/—A Friend, per the Master; £5 each—A. F. Bewley, Esq., Alexander Carroll, Esq.; £3 3/—Messrs. Parkes and Sons, Ltd.; £3—Colonel Tottenham; £2 2/—Bloomfield Laundry, Ltd.; the Right Hon. the Earl of Westmeath; R. E. Odlum, Esq.; £2—Daniel Bergin, Esq.; £1 1/—A. Millar and Co., Ltd.; Lewis Whyte, Esq.; H. T. S. Gerrard, Esq.; H. P. Mulock, Esq.; A Friend, per the Matron; £1 10/—G. A. Newsome, Esq.; £1—J. Healy, Esq., Firmount; Lady Morris; Messrs. Corrigan and Corrigan; Messrs. McCabes; Miss Goodbody; J. E. O'Connor, Esq.; P. Doyle, Esq.; Miss Tudor; Mrs. Poydell; Gorevan Bros., Ltd.; Thomas Keele, Esq.; Mrs. De Vere Kennedy; Messrs. Brooks, Thomas and Co.; 10/- each—J. Necey, Esq., Miss H. Smyth, Drogheda; 5/—George Fairbrother, Esq.; 2/6—A Friend.

The Board earnestly request further assistance in order to defray the heavy expenditure of the Hospital. Any donations sent to members of the Board or direct to the Registrar will be thankfully received and gratefully acknowledged.

Special Features
IN THE
Weekly Irish Times
TO-DAY include
Photographs of "The Great Silence" in Dublin — People in the News—A Finish at Phoenix Park Races.
Irish Civil Service Prospects for young Men and Women—By the Conductor of the Students' Page.
Irish Language—Lessons by an Expert.
Fashion Notes—The New Fabrics and Furs; latest Millinery. Paper Patterns.
Eggs in Winter—How to keep up supplies — By a Poultry Expert.
GET TO-DAY THE
Weekly Irish Times.
PRICE TWOPENCE

THE DERBY CUP.

ANOTHER OUTSIDER'S SUCCESS.

FALSE ALARM WINS AT 20 TO 1.

The Derby Cup has to be added to the rather long list of important events of the season in which the favourites have fared badly, for there was no substantial support in the Ring for the winner, False Alarm. As anticipated, the general opinion was that Spes represented good business, though at one point Irish Belfry was an equally good favourite. Neither, however, proved good enough. Spes made much the better display, but when the straight was reached she dropped back, and did not appear to put too much energy into her finish. Irish Belfry ran fairly well, and will now go to Manchester for the November Handicap, and the Castle Irwell course is expected to suit her much better than this somewhat cramped track. False Alarm came into the straight just behind Brinklow, and directly afterwards took the lead, and was an exceedingly smart winner. The last time the winner had run was in August, when third to Charlebelle at Sandown. Now there was 10lb. difference in the weights, and False Alarm turned the tables. One of the best performances was that of the top weight, Flint Jack, who, on a course that did not exactly suit him, was only just beaten out of a place.

Donoghue had been very keen all the week to complete his century of winning mounts for the season, and he accomplished the feat on Light Jester in the Friary Nursery. Early in the season, as the Translucence colt, this youngster had shown smart form, and now the stable had the utmost confidence in him, though in the end Nectarinia was the better favourite, her trainer being very sweet on her, but she ran badly. A great finish was seen between Light Jester and Overseer, but the former got a short head the better of it.

It was not a lucky afternoon for Tabor's stable, as, prior to Overseer's somewhat unlucky defeat, the stable had had a rebuff in the defeat of Hideaway in the Drakelow Juvenile Plate. The filly had been regarded as practically unbeatable, but she could only finish third, and there was really no excuse for her. Though starting at 100 to 8, the winner, Ascham, had not been unfancied by his trainer.

The long list of vanquished favourites at the meeting was added to when Time, in the Chaddesden Handicap, was beaten by Bantry, who had missed the opening event for this. Time did not relish the use of the whip or he might have won.

12.50.—**STAINSBY (S.) PLATE** of £200. 5 f.
Mr. Zeitlin's b. c. LONG CORRIE, by The Tetrarch—Veneration II., 4, 9-0....M. Beary 1
Mr. Livesey's CHARITY LAND, 3, 8-9 P. Jones 2
Mr. Dixon's FLOEY, 4, 8-11..........J. Childs 3
Also ran—The Little Gentleman (F. Bullock), Pere La Cerise (J. Taylor), Alecto (V. Smyth), Armageddon (Jelliss), Tommy Long (D. Taylor), Dafur (W. Stott). (Winner trained by Bennett.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Charity Land, 3 to 1 LONG CORRIE, 9 to 2 Floey, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by a length and a half; same.
The winner was bought in for 500 gns.

1.20—**DRAKELOW JUVENILE (S.) PLATE** of £300. 7 f.
Mr. Dixon's b. g. ASCHAM, by Bowman—Lady Redfern, 8-7 ....J. Childs 1
Mr. Collins's SUNNY ROSE, 8-10 ...J. Brennan 2
Mr. Cohen's HIDEAWAY, 8-7 ....J. Evans 3
Also ran—Sea Parrot (W. Howard), Hustle colt (G. Lancaster), Harrovian (F. Bullock), Indelible (Gardner), Garrison (Donoghue), Wolesley (J. Brown), Ashes (B. Smyth), Dowse (Carslake), Bonnie Lad (Lane), Revues (Lister), Trusty (Fox), Joanfax (L. Brown), Royal Enclosure (D. Gordon), Elizabeth L (Weston), Flying Dispatch (J. Taylor). (Winner trained by Lines.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Hideaway, 6 to 1 Sunny Rose, 10 to 1 each Garrison and Dowse, 100 to 8 each ASCHAM, Hustle colt, Indelible, Revues, Joanfax, and Royal Enclosure, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a head; a length and a half.

1.50—**FRIARY NURSERY** of £200. 5 f.
Major Beatty's br. c. LIGHT JESTER, by Black Jester—Translucence, 7-13 S. Donoghue 1
Mr. Gant's OVERSEER, 8-0 ....Fox 2
Mr. Dickson's CLAUDIA LORENA F., 7-0 W. Gordon 3
Also ran—Old 'Ard (J. Childs), Stone Axe (F. Bullock), Discobolus (J. Leach), By Mistake (M. Beary), Park Square (G. Richards), Nectarinia (R. A. Jones), Topboot (Robbins), Blue Sol (Wragg), Mermaid (C. Parker), Dusky Maid (H. Leach), Beatrix (Theobald), Spicey (Townsend), Master-... (J. Clancy), Yonder (Smirke), Narta (Bryan), ... colt (A. Burns), Neilstone (A. Cripps). (... trained by Owner.)
Betting—9 to 2 agst. Nectarinia, 11 to 2 ... and LIGHT JESTER, 10 to 1 each ... Park Square, and Flute colt, 20 to 1 ... other.
Won by a short head; a length.

2.30.—**DERBY CUP** (h'cap) of £1,250. 1 m. 6 f.
Mr. Hull's b. c. FALSE ALARM, by Rattlejack—White Lie, 4, 8-3..........F. Bullock 1
Mr. Cunliffe's CHARLEBELLE, 5, 8-9...F. Lane 2
Major Worthington's BRINKLOW, 4, 7-8 H. Wragg 3
Mr. Plevins' Flint Jack, 5, 8-13..........G. Smith 0
Mr. Nolan's Irish Belfry, 3, 8-4..........J. Childs 0
Mr. A. de Rothschild's The Villager, 4, 7-12 C. Elliott 0
Sir A. Bailey's Ceylonese, 3, 7-12..........W. Lister 0
Mr. J. de Rothschild's Tishy, 4, 7-9..........R. Grace 0
Captain Dutton's Wildfellow, 7, 7-3..........T. Weston 0
Mr. Sharp's Fast and Furious, 6, 7-3..........T. Morgan 0
Baron de Rothschild's Cottage, 4, 7-3 K. Robertson 0
Mr. Rowson's Elunyd, 3, 6-13..........C. Smirke 0
Mr. R. C. Dawson's Spes, 3, 6-9 (car. 6-13) R. A. Jones 0
(Winner trained by F. Leader.)
Betting—4 to 1 agst. Spes, 5 to 1 The Villager, 9 to 2 Irish Belfry, 6 to 1 Ceylonese, 9 to 1 Charlebelle, 100 to 9 Elunyd, 100 to 6 Flint Jack, 20 to 1 FALSE ALARM or any other.
On settling down, Elunyd made play from Spes and Cottage, with Ceylonese, Tishy, and Charlebelle next. These were followed by Brinklow, Wildfellow, Irish Belfry, False Alarm, and Flint Jack, with The Villager some lengths in the rear. At halfway Brinklow had drawn to the front, followed by False Alarm and Ceylonese, with Irish Belfry, Spes, Elunyd, Charlebelle, and Fast and Furious next. Into the straight Brinklow was followed by False Alarm, who soon afterwards went on from Spes, Irish Belfry, and Charlebelle, and stalling off Charlebelle's challenge, won by three parts of a length; a neck separated second and third. Flint Jack was fourth, Ceylonese fifth, Elunyd sixth, Irish Belfry seventh, Spes eighth, Fast and Furious ninth, Tishy tenth, The Villager next, and Wildfellow last.

3.5.—**CHADDESDEN PLATE** (handicap) of £200. 6 f.
Sir H. Bird's b. h. BANTRY, by Bayardo—Ulster Queen, 5, 8-12 ....H. Jelliss 1
Mr. McAlinden's TIME, 4, 8-13..........Smirke 2
Mr. Wall's IRISH EAGLE, 4, 8-2..........Evans 3
Also ran—Humpty Dumpty (Donoghue), Queen's Guild (Griggs), Javadore (Crickmere), Little Traitress (Weston), Teltown (Beary), Ben View (Lynch). (Winner trained by Earl.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Time, 5 to 2 BANTRY, 5 to 1 Irish Eagle, 7 to 1 Humpty Dumpty, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by three-quarters of a length; two lengths.

3.30.—**QUARNDON MAIDEN PLATE** of £200 1m.
Lord Furness' ch. f. QUARTERDECK, by The Tetrarch—Decagone, 3, 9-1 ....G. Hulme 1
Sir R. Jardine's HILL COUNTRY, 4, 9-0 W. Griggs 2
Mr. Eastman's PRETTY BOY, 3, 8-8. J. Evans 3
Also ran—Village Lad (P. Jones), Down South (Beary), Widow Bird (F. Bullock), Empress Zita (J. Childs). (Winner trained by R. Dawson.)
Betting—11 to 8 on QUARTERDECK, 3 to 1 Widow Bird, 8 to 1 Hill Country, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by a length and a half; one length.

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HURST PARK.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The last meeting of the season at Hurst Park to-day should attract a big attendance. The going is in capital order, and already last evening there was a big arrival list, while many other horses are under orders and will arrive before racing begins. There is no nursery, and the chief events are the Hurst Park Great T.Y.O. Stakes and the Hampton Court Great Three-Year-Old Stakes, the former a six furlongs race and the latter a long distance affair, run over a mile and five furlongs. Each is of a thousand sovs. added, and some of the best of their respective ages will compete. Among the likely runners for the big juvenile race I like best the chances of Galante colt, Pharos, and Friar's Melody. I doubt if we saw the best of Friar's Melody at his last appearance, and, although both Galante colt and Pharos should run well, I shall turn to

FRIAR'S MELODY

for the winner. The Hampton Court Stakes provide an opportunity for Captain Fracasse to show that his Newbury failure behind Poisoned Arrow and Spes was not correct. However, I prefer the Liverpool Cup winner,

SELENE,

who may find serious danger in **Simon Pure.** Selections for the other races are as follow:—
Osterley Handicap—**Lady Clara.**
Petersham Handicap—**Junk.**
Mitre Plate—**Breslane.**
Vyner Handicap—**Bonne Race.**

[The figures in front of the names of the horses are an index to placings in their last three engagements—reading from right to left. Where a horse started slowly and was unplaced an s appears instead of 0; f indicates fell; n did not finish.]

1.0—**OSTERLEY HANDICAP** of £5 each, with £250 added. 5 f.
200 JOSS HOUSE (His Majesty).....R. Marsh 3 8 3
300 LIMOSIN (Mr. Moorhouse).....S. Darling 3 8 2
000 UNISON (Mr. S. Joel).....De Mestre 3 7 13
000 FORDINGBRIDGE (Ld. Derby) Lambton 3 7 12
120 LADY CLARA (Mr. Davidson).....Cottrill 3 7 11
000 FURRY DANCE (Mr. Wigan).....Braime 3 7 5
00 CAHIRLESKE (Lady Nunburnholme) Hugh Powney 3 7 1
000 LORD PENZANCE (Mr. Fair).....Robson 4 7 0
002 COTSWOLD (Mrs. E. Dickson).....Ristoul 3 7 0
(The above have arrived.)
.....J. Bell 5 9 3
020 SOUTHERN (Mr. H. Dickson).....Ristoul 6 8 12
000 PIRAEUS (Mrs. Bendir)
220 GRECIAN BEAUTY (Mrs. Bendir).....Davidson 4 8 7
..... (Mr. S. Joel).....De Mestre 3 8 6
021 PHAT (Mr. Vernon).....Wootton 4 8 5
030 DOUBLE COURT (Mr. Vernon)
010 HUNTING SONG (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) Dale 3 8 3
032 BLARNEY STONE (Mr. Langlands) Langlands 5 8 2
030 FLYING EAGLE (Mr. Hanley).....Hanley 3 7 12
000 DRYAD (Mr. White).....Ward 3 7 12
405 WESTERN HILL (Ld. Glanely) C. Marsh 3 7 10
000 CAMARALZAMAN (Mr. Barclay).....Barclay 4 7 9
440 FLYING IDA (Mr. Barclay).....Lambton 3 7 9
011 BEERSHEBA (Ld. Derby).....Reardon 4 7 3
000 OLYMPUS (Col. Parkinson).....E. Martin 3 7 1
222 PROCIS (Mr. Baum)

1.30—**PETERSHAM THREE-YEAR-OLD (S.) HANDICAP** of £300. 1¼ m.
450 PAGE (Mrs. Maclean).....Wilkins 9 1
321 JUNK (Mr. Hasen).....H. Leader 8 12
403 WOODLEY (Mr. S. Joel).....De Mestre 8 11
200 GOLDEN IDOL (Mr. Lefebvre).....Hammond 8 8
000 OUR BEN (Mr. Richardson).....Braime 8 7
001 DUPLICITY (Mr. Hardy).....Hogg 8 5
001 TIP TREE (Mr. White).....Whitaker 8 4
000 WORLD DOMINION (Mr. Langley) J. Cannon 8 4
021 BE COOL (Mr. Nagle).....Hy. Powney 8 3
234 FIDDLEBACK (Mr. Hull).....F. Leader 7 13
000 QUEEN CANDIDA (Lady Torrington) Sonrey 7 7
000 LADO (Sir R. Jardine).....R. W. Colling 7 2
(The above have arrived.)
000 NOUS VERRONS (Mr. Brendon).....White 9 4
000 MARASKIN (Mr. Hartigan).....Bennett 9 4
001 BLACK RABBIT (Mr. Edge).....Poole 9 3
200 CROISEUR (Mr. F. Benson).....Norcott 9 2
000 MARIE MARCO (Mr. Parrish) H. Harrison 9 2
201 TROIKA (Mrs. Stevens).....Stevens 8 13
000 KNAVE OF TRUMPS (Mr. Sadler) Gunter 8 10
021 DARK VIXEN (Mr. Vernon).....Wootton 8 9
020 MLLE LENGLEN (Mr. Morris).....Morris 8 9
001 MITCHELLS (Mr. Weeden).....Private 8 4
000 TINFOIL (Mr. Bell).....Bell 8 3
000 DEERSLAYER (Capt. D. Rogers) Rogers 8 2
000 WEEDKILLER (Mr. Gunter).....C. Waugh 8 2
401 TOMMY LONG (Mr. Greenwood).....Moss 8 1
110 BROTHERHOOD (Mr. Phillips).....Hyams 8 1
222 BACHELOR'S GAMBLE (Mrs. Stevens) Stevens 7 13
004 YEWDEN (Mrs. Bennett).....Bennett 7 13
300 ROCK HILL (Mr. Boam).....Smyth 7 11
000 GRAND DUKE II. (Mr. Aston).....Harper 7 10
000 REDSHANK (Mr. Hulme).....Hulme 7 4
000 NORTH AND SOUTH (Mr. Bradford) Bradford 7 1
000 NORBECK (Mr. H. Rhodes).....Coldbeck 7 0

2.0—**MITRE T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE** of £300. 5 f.
002 NOCE D'ARGENT (Mr. Cohen).....Taber 9 0
030 SEA CHARIOT (Mr. Bancroft).....Easterbee 8 6
000 DOWSER (Sir W. Gilbey).....T. Cannon 8 6
004 HEART OF OAK (Mr. Goldwater) Hammond 8 9
420 GREEN PATH (Sir R. Jardine) R. Colling 8 9
000 LAPIDARY (Mr. Miller).....O. Bell 8 9
400 CANTELUPE (Mr. White).....Whitaker 8 11
211 LEEDS UNITED (Mr. Villiers).....Pope 8 11
(The above have arrived.)
000 HARROVIAN (Sir W. Gilbey).....T. Cannon 8 9
000 GARRISON (Mr. White).....Whitaker 9 0
321 GOLDEN ERROR (Mr. Moss).....Larkin 9 0
220 BRESLANE (Mr. Becerra).....Wootton 9 0
510 UNCLE BONES (Mr. Solomon).....MacColl 9 0
310 LAKE SUPERIOR (Mr. Dixon).....Lines 9 0
010 GAY CANOPY (Mr. Beresford) ..Whitaker 9 0
000 POLYCAREX (Capt. Bewicke).....Bewicke 8 9
420 HARRIBOY (Aurette c.) (Mrs. Lyons) Nugent 8 9
003 SEMISPHERE (Sir H. Brassey) ..H. Sadler 8 9
020 CLAUDIA LORENA F. (Mr. H. Dickson) Rintoul 8 6
000 PHOTOGRAPH C. (Mr. H. Dickson) Rintoul 8 9
000 OLYMPING (Capt. Elsee).....C. Leader 8 9
200 LAVERSTOKE (Col. Portal).....W. Waugh 8 6
300 CHERRY TART (Mr. Solomon).....MacColl 8 6
302 CAMBODIA (Mrs. Whitburn).....Cottrill 8 9

2.35—**GREAT T.Y.O. STAKES** of £100 each, with £1,000 added. Second £200. third £100. 6 f.
(Duke of Westminster) Persse 8 12
01 HURRY OFF (Mr. Field) Hugh Powney 8 12
100 FRIAR'S MELODY.....Hunt 8 12
012 MILTIADES (Mr. Michalinos).....H. Sadler 8 12
111 GALANTE C. (Ld. Penrhyn).....Lambton 8 12
102 PHAROS (Ld. Derby).....J. Dawson 8 9
110 SILVER GRASS (Col. Story)
(The above have arrived.)
040 BROWN POM (Mr. White).....Ward 8 12
113 SCALIGER (Ld. Rosebery).....J. Jarvis 8 12
111 VERDICT (Ld. Coventry).....W. Waugh 8 9
022 PHYLLIS DARE (Mr. White).....Ward 8 9

3.10—**HAMPTON COURT GREAT THREE Y.O. STAKES** of £50 each, with £1,000 added. 1 m. 5 f.
113 CAPTAIN FRACASSE (Ld. Howard de Walden).....D. Waugh 9 0
....De Mestre 9 0
002 PONDOLAND (Mr. S. Joel) (Ld. Lonsdale) Sadler, jun. 9 0
210 DILIGENCE (Mr. Salvin).....H. Sadler 9 0
201 SIMON PURE (Ld. Derby).....Lambton 8 11
111 SELENE (Ld. Derby).....Taylor 8 11
210 LADY JUROR (Mr. Tattersall)
(The above have arrived.)
330 CEYLONESE (Sir A. Bailey).....R. Day 9 0
110 CONDOVER (Mrs. Bendir).....Butters 9 0
112 ROYAL LANCER (Ld. Lonsdale) Sadler, jun. 9 0
035 SANHEDRIM (Mr. White).....Ward 9 0
311 NORSEMAN (Mr. White).....Ward 9 0
110 SOUBRIQUET (Sir E. Hulton)..D. Waugh 8 11

3.45—**VYNER HANDICAP** of £300. 7 f.
101 BONNE RACE (Mr. A. Gordon) F. Leader 3 9 6
242 VIVALDI (Mr. Michalinos).....Hunt 5 9 4
212 PICTURA (Mr. Dugdale).....Escott 4 9 2
323 DOWNS (Ld. Derby).....Lambton 3 8 12
120 CARPENTER (Mr. Cannon).....J. Cannon 3 8 11
300 SANTAQUEST (Mr. Hay).....Pickering 3 8 10
100 PICARDY (His Majesty).....R. Marsh 4 8 9
201 HARK FORRARD (Mrs. Dickson).....Rintoul 4 8 7
031 GOLD COAST (Mr. Levy).....Hare 3 8 3
000 SANGOT (Ld. Lascelles).....Gore 4 8 3
000 PENTRIDGE (Mr. Gordon).....Braime 3 7 11
003 KOLINSKY (Mrs. Whitburn).....Cottrill 3 7 10
042 SAINTE HELENE (Mr. Williams) Hogg 3 7 10
400 BENULA (Mr. Bassett).....Batho 4 7 9
000 APRIL SHOWER (Mr. S. Darling) Darling 4 7 4
030 KARELIA (Mr. Austen).....O. Waugh 3 7 0
(The above have arrived.)
211 NIGHT PATROL (10lb. ex.) (Ld. Wolverton) Lambton 4 10 12
151 SUNBLAZE (Mr. Clark).....Persse 4 10 5
111 SIR DOUGLAS (Sir H. Meux).....Persse 6 10 5
111 GEORGE DRAKE (Mr. I'Anson) Harper 5 9 11
300 HUMPTY DUMPTY (Mr. White).....Ward 5 9 10
220 POLYDIPSIA (Mr. S. Joel).....De Mestre 5 9 8
011 WILLBLEND (Ld. Glanely).....Persse 5 9 5
020 SOUTHERN (Mr. Heybourn).....J. Bell 5 9 3
030 SUN CHARMER (Mr. Heybourn).....J. Bell 5 9 3
010 BLACKLAND (10lb. ex.) (Mr. Hirst) MacColl 3 9 1
000 WEE LADDIE (Mr. Hanley).....Hanley 3 9 0
134 JACQUEMINOT (Mr. Bancroft).....Easterbee 3 9 0
334 PAULINUS (Ld. Penrhyn).....H. Sadler 5 8 13
014 SARGON (Mr. Davison).....E. Piggott 3 8 13
202 BELSIZE (Mr. Shaw).....Bennett 4 8 13
014 DALBLANEY (Mrs. Bancroft) Easterbee 5 8 12
220 TINSPEAR (Mr. Edge).....Poole 3 8 10
423 GAVOTTE (Mr. Singer).....Taylor 3 8 9
211 BUFFOON (Mr. Willey).....Pope 4 8 9
011 YOUYOU (10lb. ex.) (Mr. Lines) Lines 3 8 8
001 MISS MAJORITY (Baron de Tuyll) F. Hartigan 5 8 8
130 DESMOND HOUSE (Mr. Pope).....Pope 5 8 5
002 TWICKENHAM (Capt. Werland).....Hunt 5 8 4
402 ZEPHYR (Mr. Allden).....Allden 5 8 4
000 MISS JUNIOR (Sir H. FitzHerbert) Pope 4 8 2
234 MINTLEAF (Mr. F. Benson).....Norcott 5 8 1
004 CAMARALZAMAN (Sir H. Meux) Persse 5 8 1
004 FIREWORK (Mr. Alexander).....R. Day 3 8 1
230 WIDOW BIRD (Sir A. Bailey).....R. Day 4 8 0
210 PUCK (Sir S. Watts).....F. Hunt 4 8 0
040 PLAS NEWYDD (Ld. Wolverton) Lambton 3 8 0
4 BATTLES (Mr. Howard).....Walls 3 8 0
120 DARK FOX (Mr. Fraser).....R. Day 3 7 13
000 GWENLLIAN (Mr. Wootton).....Wootton 3 7 13
040 LENGLEN (Mr. S. Joel).....De Mestre 3 7 12
000 CADABRA (Ld. Ellesmere).....J. Dawson 3 7 11
004 REPAID (Mr. Robinson).....R. Day 3 7 10
010 BUCKSIE (Mr. Cowan).....Ireland 3 7 10
010 LOMAX (Capt. Elsee).....Wilkins 4 7 7
001 ABBEY ISLAND (Mrs. Stevens) Stevens 4 7 6
000 SILVER THISTLE (Mr. Bell).....M. Bell 3 7 6
000 ST. CORENTIN (Mr. Howeson) W. Nightingall 5 7 5
0 TONS OF MONEY (Mr. Henson).....Walls 3 7 5
001 SQUARSON (Mr. Pennant).....Hogg 3 7 4
000 OWEN (Mr. M. Rhodes).....White 3 7 3
000 MOXHULL (Mr. Baylis).....Beatty 3 7 3
000 NOBLESSE OBLIGE (Mr. White) Ward 6 7 2
003 WEE MON (Mr. Baylis).....Beatty 3 7 1
000 LADY FUN (Mr. F. Benson).....Norcott 3 7 0
002 GRAND DUKE II. (Mr. Aston) Harper 3 7 0
4 HAVE A CARE (Mr. Lyall).....J. Lyall 7 7 0

ARRIVALS.—Joss House, Limosin, Unison, Fordingbridge, Lady Clara, Furry Dance, Cahirleske, Lord Penzance, Cotswold, Page, Junk, Woodley, Golden Idol, Our Ben, Duplicity, Tip Tree, World Dominion, Be Cool, Fiddleback, Queen Candida, Lado, Sea Chariot, Lake Superior, Noce D'Argent, Cantelupe, Leeds United, Heart of Oak, Green Path, Lapidary, Dowser, Hurry Off, Friar's Melody, Miltiades, Galante c., Pharos, Silver Grass, Captain Fracasse, Pondoland, Diligence, Simon Pure, Selene, Lady Juror, Bonne Race, Vivaldi, Pictura, The Downs, Carpenter, Santaquest, Picardy, Hark Forrard, Gold Coast, Sangot, Pentridge, Kolinsky, Sainte Helene, Benula, April Shower, Karelia.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

On Light Jester, in the Friary Nursery at Derby yesterday, Donoghue scored his hundredth winning mount of the season.

The Stewards of the Turf Club called Captain Tuthill before them to explain his absence from the judge's box during the running of the Deer Park Plate at Phœnix Park Meeting last Saturday. Having heard his explanation they accepted same.—*Irish Racing Calendar.*

Mr. T. K. Laidlaw's good-looking three-year-old, King David, of which so much was expected during the early portion of the season, is about to join Coulthwaite's string, to be schooled over hurdles. The big son of Righ Mor may not return to Ireland at the termination of winter racing in England, but go to H. S. Persse's place at Stockbridge to be trained for flat racing.

Several Irish horses will meet engagements at Manchester next week, including Highlandmore, A.B.C., Snow Ball, Coo Coo, Rath Duth, Essexford, and Tragical Maid; while it is likely that some of those owned by Mr. W. Parrish ... recently went from the Curragh to H. S. Harrison's stable at Bangor-on-Dee will also figure at Manchester.

The Irish Cambridgeshire winner, Flower Vale, who was bred by Mr. H. S. Gray, held out so little promise when a two-year-old that after he had run without success he was sold for 7 guineas to Mr. D. J. Power, and, failing to earn a bracket in that owner's colours, he was passed on to Mr. Sheehan. Nor did the son of Valens score for him, and it was not until last season, when he was a five-year-old and had become the property of Mr. D. Foley, his present owner, that he secured his first bracket.

Mr. J. Musker, who a few seasons ago was a prominent patron of racing on this side of the Channel, is resuming his association with the Irish Turf, and as heretofore, his horses will be under the care of Mr. J. J. Parkinson at Maddenstown Lodge, Curragh. To that establishment he is sending no fewer than thirty-one horses, comprising seventeen yearlings, twelve two-year-olds, and a couple of three-year-olds, all of them beautifully bred.

PROUDSTOWN PARK MEETING.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21.

ORDER OF RUNNING.

	H.	M.		H.	M.
Boyne Hill Plate..	1	0	Midland Plate ..	2	30
Liscarton Plate ..	1	30	Sallypark Plate ..	3	0
Silloque Plate	2	0	November Plate ..	3	30

LEOPARDSTOWN CLUB DECEMBER MEETING,

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26th and 27th, 1922.

The following Races Close on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

FIRST DAY.
THE STAND MAIDEN HURDLE PLATE of 100 sovs. One mile and a half.
THE STEWARDS' SELLING HURDLE PLATE of 100 sovs. One mile and a half.
THE NEWTOWN HANDICAP HURDLE PLATE of 200 sovs. One mile and a half.
THE TOWER HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Two miles and about 175 yards.
THE ST. STEPHEN'S STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Three miles.

SECOND DAY.
THE THREE YEARS OLD OPTIONAL SELLING HURDLE PLATE of 100 sovs. One mile and a half.
THE BRAY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Three miles
THE STILLORGAN STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Two miles and about 175 yards.
THE CORINTHIAN PLATE of 100 sovs. Two miles.
THE CHRISTMAS HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 300 sovs. Two miles and 175 yards.
—(Advt.)

METROPOLITAN (BALDOYLE) RACES.

NEW YEAR MEETING.
JANUARY 1st, 1923.

All Entries for this Meeting CLOSE on Wednesday next, 22nd inst., with Mr. F. H. Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.
For full programme, see "Irish Racing Calendar," "Irish Field," or "Sport." —(Advt.)

LIMERICK CITY SWEEP

ON MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP.

To be Run on
25th NOVEMBER, 1922.

Sellers of Tickets for above will please note that Duplicates and Cash must be returned on or before TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21st, 1922.

The Draw will take place on WEDNESDAY, 22nd NOVEMBER, and result of same will be published on FRIDAY, 24th NOVEMBER.
—(Advt.)

DROGHEDA AND DISTRICT COURSING MEETING.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd NOVEMBER.

FIRST BRACE IN SLIPS AT 11.30 A.M. GOOD DAY'S SPORT PROVIDED FOR HARES TRAINED TO AN ESCAPE.
Owners are requested to have their dogs in slips to time, to facilitate visitors in catching early evening trains.
JAMES ROBINSON, Hon. Sec.
—(Advt.)

HUNTING.

WARD UNION STAGHOUNDS.

A huge field met hounds at Dunboyne on Wednesday. A hind enlarged on Mr. Wallis's farm at Vesington started for Batterstown, but, wheeling sharply to the right, crossed the river towards Black Bull, and ran back again towards Vesington. An unlucky turn to the left, however, brought the hunt to Woodpark, where the usual complications ensued, this land being all locked and wired. The deer, getting clear of these difficulties, crossed the road by The Flathouse, and after a check to collect the hounds the hunt passed by the back of Flathouse, and crossing the railway line ran into Norman's Grove. The pace was now very fast, and only a few were near hounds as they ran over the big fences of Norman's Grove, and passing through the demesne crossed the road and ran hard by Sandfield towards Dunboyne. Leaving the village to the left, hounds crossed the Dunboyne road, and swinging to the left ran a circle round Dunboyne to the Clonee road, crossing the railway line, and on by Summerseat and Stirling to Hilltown, through Hilltown to Barnhill, where a safe capture was effected.

KILKENNY HOUNDS.

Wednesday, November 8th, Mullinavat.—Kilandra was first drawn, and it was not long before there were a leash of foxes on foot. Hounds soon forced one out towards Ballyquin, and hunting through the scrub turned left-handed over the stream towards Coolnaimod. Before going very far the fox changed his mind and returned to Killandra. Here the hounds were close behind him, and allowing him no rest, drove him straight through the covert and out again at a great pace towards Coolnaimod. They were now not many yards behind the fox, and three fields short of Coolnaimod he took refuge in a double stone wall, from which the hounds speedily pulled him, after a very nice gallop of thirty minutes over a fine line of country. Ballyquin and Knockbrack were next drawn, but both were blank, as were several outlying gorses.

Friday, November 10th, Freshford.—A fine day, after a wet morning. Hounds, after some time, found in Asknagar, but there appeared to be no scent, and this fox was most unenterprising. After a long time he broke at the top end and ran to the glen nearby, where he was left. There was a fox in Ballyring, but scent was so bad that hounds could not press him, and although he ventured out on four separate occasions he immediately came back; so after nearly two hours he had to be left. Binninea was blank.

Saturday, November 11th, Burnchurch.—Kilcoran was the first draw, and there were a brace of foxes in the covert, but scent was very poor, and little could be done with them. After a good deal of hunting in and round the covert, one made off over the Callan road towards Desart, but the bad scent made it almost impossible to hunt him. Farmley was blank.

However, by the time that Mr. Corr's gorse at Ballybur was reached, conditions had improved. Hounds found immediately, and bustling their fox through the covert with grand cry, drove him out on the Kilkenny side of the covert. They then ran at great pace over the Cuffesgrange road, past Rathleeke and Banfort House. Not far from here they crossed the Kilkenny-Kells road, and continuing on at the same pace, marked to ground in a badger earth two fields from the Kilkenny-Waterford road, not far from Foulkestown, after a very enjoyable hunt of twenty minutes.

Monday, Nov. 13th, Fox and Goose.—Found in Clifden Bottom, and a good fox soon broke and ran over the railway and the Dublin road towards Cellarstown, but bearing right-handed almost immediately led us on at a good pace past the church at Clanbricken. Leaving Clara well to the left, hounds ran over Freestone Hill past Grangehill to above Flagmount, where the fox was headed, and the first real check occurred. The pace, so far, had been excellent—time 59 minutes. The fox now swung left-handed, and we hunted him at a slower pace to Frenystown Castle, and still bearing to the left, ran back through Grangehill, eventually marking him to ground in a quarry below Flagmount, not far from the Dublin road, after a fine hunt of one hour and thirty minutes, over a glorious line of country. From Clifden Bottom to Frenystown Castle is a four-mile point. It was a long hack back to Bishopslough, but on arriving there a brace of foxes were soon on foot in Lalor's scrub, and hounds hunted a ringing fox for thirty-five minutes in and around the covert. This brought to a close a very good day's sport.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

WARD UNION STAGHOUNDS.

	Meet.	Hour.
To-day	Kilbride	1.30
Wednesday, 22nd	Dunshaughlin	1.30
Saturday, 25th	9-Mile Stone	1.30

KILDARE HOUNDS.

To-day	Rathcoole	11.0
Tuesday, 21st	18-Mile Stone	11.0
Thursday, 23rd	Kilkea (South Gate)	10.0
Saturday, 25th	Celbridge	11.0

MEATH HOUNDS.

Monday, 20th	Scariff	11.0
Wednesday, 22nd	Slane Castle	11.0
Friday, 24th	Dunshaughlin Poorhouse	11.0

BILLIARDS.

SMITH MAINTAINS ADVANTAGE OVER NEWMAN.

When the match between Smith and Newman was resumed at Leicester square, London, yesterday, Smith led by 1,057, but Newman, playing splendidly, reduced the gap to 631, totalling 973 for the session against 547 by Smith. Newman made a clever break of 455, and others of 73, 163, and 168 unfinished. Smith's breaks were 178 (full), 262, and 73. Interval scores—Smith, 5,882; Newman, 5,251.

At night Smith easily regained his afternoon's lost ground, totalling 785 points against Newman's total of 394. Newman's breaks were 89, 153, and 107, while Smith made 171, 395, 73, and 69 unfinished. Closing scores:—Smith, 6,667; Newman, 5,645.

INMAN v. FALKINER.

Inman was able after his indisposition of the previous evening to continue the game at Piccadilly, London, yesterday afternoon, and was in excellent form, averaging 97, and heavily outpointing Falkiner. He made his unfinished 132 into 384, and followed with 337 and 86. Interval scores:—Inman, 6,000; Falkiner, 5,022.

The evening session went much in favour of Falkiner, who outpointed Inman to the extent of 1,028 points against 373. Falkiner was at his best, and his play at the top of the table was splendid. He made breaks of 245 (with a sequence of 79 close cannons), 323, and 196. Inman's only breaks were 185 (full), 70, and 75. Closing scores:—Inman, 6,373; Falkiner, 6,050.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

DUBLIN CITY HARRIERS.

Run from headquarters, 27 Harold's Cross, to-day, at 3.15. A full and punctual attendance is requested; rubber shoes.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Oakside Hurdle Race, Windsor—Red Hugh.
All engagements in Mr. J. W. Harries's name—Kennedy.
All engagements—Sparkling Glass, Avocet (dead), Plank (dead).

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR HURST PARK.

Daily Express:—Safety bet—Selene (to win).
Daily Chronicle:—Double — Procis and Pictura. To "Beat the Book"—Pictura.
Daily Mail:—Special selection—Breslane. Double—Breslane and Pharos.
Daily Graphic:—Double — Breslane and Galante colt.
Daily Mirror:—Double — Noce D'Argent and Simon Pure (nap).

CRICKET.

M.C.C. IN AUSTRALIA.

THIRD MATCH OF THE TOUR.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN SPECIAL.)

MELBOURNE, November 17.

Mr. MacLaren's side to-day commenced the third match of their tour, Victoria providing the opposition. A crowd of about 5,000 spectators saw the visiting side, after an auspicious start, compile a total of 210, Chapman again being top scorer with 73. Wilkinson alone amongst the early batsmen was able to deal effectively with Wallace's fast deliveries, and he was reduced to stonewalling, taking forty-nine minutes to get his first ten. After lunch, however, the cricket was much more interesting, and Chapman, who came in third wicket down, entertained the crowd to some interesting batting, using the cut and drive with good effect. He got his 50 after batting an hour and twenty-seven minutes, while Wilkinson, who had adopted a freer style after the interval, took an hour and a half for his half century. The Englishmen were batting altogether three hours and twenty minutes for their 210. Chiefly owing to the bowling of Gibson, the Victorians at the close of play had five wickets down for 44, the Light Blue claiming three of them for an average of just over six runs each. Score:—

M.C.C.

Wilson b Wallace	9	MacLaren c Ellis b Grimmett	5
Titchmarsh b Wallace	11	Gibson b Hartkopf	2
Wilkinson b Hartkopf	62	M'Lean not out	11
Calthorpe c Mayne b Wallace	10	Tyldesley st. Ellis b Hartkopf	4
Chapman st Ellis b Hartkopf	73	Freeman c Ransford b Hartkopf	0
Brand c Mayne b Hartkopf	17	Extras	6
		Total	210

Bowling.—First Innings—Hartkopf, 6 for 23; Wallace, 3 for 64; Keating, 0 for 33; Grimmett, 1 for 43; Liddicutt, 0 for 41.

VICTORIA.

Mayne l.b.w. b Gibson	17	Ellis c Calthorpe b Gibson	0
Park b Freeman	11	Liddicutt run out	0
Willis c MacLaren b Gibson	5	Extras	0
Woodfull not out	11	Total (5 wkts.)	44

REGISTRATION IN COUNTY CRICKET.

KENT'S PROPOSALS DEFEATED.

Lord Chelmsford, President of the M.C.C., took the chair yesterday afternoon at Lord's at a meeting of the Advisory County Committee. All the first-class counties were represented, together with the Minor Counties' Association. The chief business on the agenda was the question of registration in county cricket. After full discussion, in which Lord Harris, Lord Hawke, Viscount Deerhurst, Mr. H. D. G. Leveson-Gower, and Mr. M. R. H. Mallett (minor counties) took part, Kent's proposals, embodying the principle of registration and setting up a special tribunal, were defeated, and, as a natural consequence, the amendments that stood in the names of Gloucestershire and Lancashire fell to the ground.

Kent's proposal that a sub-committee, of not more than eight, be appointed for the purpose of considering details, reporting thereon, and preparing the agenda for the meetings of the Advisory Committee, was carried unanimously. It was then agreed that the sub-committee should consist of the first five counties at the top of the list for the year and one of the three counties at the bottom, the President of the M.C.C. being Chairman. Power was given to co-opt a representative of the minor counties.

Surrey's proposal, "That it is not considered advisable or necessary to continue with the 10 per cent. of the gate to visiting teams," was carried.

Yorkshire moved: "That a sub-committee be appointed to consider, and, if necessary, revise the method of counting points in the County Championship." This was carried and referred to the newly-formed sub-committee, who will also go through the existing rules of county cricket and report upon them.

As regards Surrey's proposal, "That the meeting should consider payments to be made to professionals in the Champion County and Rest of England match at the Oval," it was determined that the match should be restricted to three days next September, the professionals being paid £10 each and railway fares.

ASSOCIATION.

F.A.I. QUALIFYING CUP.

Several matches are listed in the Football League of Ireland for to-day which should be productive of keen games. One is the meeting of Jacobs and Athlone Town, which will be played at Rutland avenue, and another the game in which Dublin United play Shamrock Rovers at Anglesea road. In the F.A.I. Qualifying Cup a number of matches are fixed for districts as far apart as Dublin and Cork, Tipperary and Sligo.

THE FIXTURES.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE OF IRELAND.
Shelbourne v. Midland Athletic. Shelbourne Park.
Bohemians v. Olympia. Dalymount Park.
Jacobs v. Athlone Town. Rutland avenue.
Dublin United v. Shamrock Rovers. Anglesea road.
Rathmines Athletic v. St. James's Gate. Rathmines Park.
Pioneers v. Shelbourne United. Tudor Park.
LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE—(Division 1.)
Avonmore v. Shelbourne B. The Thatch.
Dundalk G.N.R. v. Bohemians B. Dundalk.
LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE—(Division II.)
Dublin United B v. Chapelizod. Inchicore road.
Seaview v. Y.M.C.A. Church road.
F.A. QUALIFYING CUP—(1st Round).
DUBLIN DISTRICT.
Bray Unknowns v. Richmond. Bray.
Glasnevin v. Brooklyn. Ballymun road.
University College v. Merrion. Terenure.
TIPPERARY DISTRICT.
Cabir Park A v. Tipperary Wanderers. Cahir.
CORK DISTRICT.
Y.M.C.A. v. Tramways.
United v. Shandon.
Barrackton v. Fordson.
ATHLONE DISTRICT.
Mullingar v. Clara. Mullingar.
SLIGO DISTRICT.
Celtic v. Rovers. Sligo.

CANARY SHOW IN BELFAST.

The annual Canary Show in Belfast was opened yesterday, under the auspices of the City of Belfast Norwich Crest and Yorkshire Canary Club. It was the twenty-first show of its kind held under the club's auspices. Although slightly lower numerically than last year, there are on view upwards of three hundred canaries and mules, and their quality is quite good, comparing very favourably with the high standard of previous years. The show is confined exclusively to birds of this season's breeding, and is an appropriate preliminary to the Ornithological Association's open show. The prizewinners were:—

Gold Medal for best Crest—J. Bowman.
Best Plain-Head Cock (Challenge Cup and Gold Medal)—J. M'Alister.
Best Plain-Head Hen (Carleton Cup and Gold Medal)—J. Stewart.
Best Yorkshire Cock (Challenge Cup and Gold Medal)—A. E. Stantiford.
Best Yorkshire Hen—A. E. Stantiford.
Other special prize winners were:—William Morrow, Thomas B. Shannon, E. A. Winkup, A. South, C. M'Neill, R. Curry, James Neill, J. M'Burney, S. P. Cairns, A. M'Vicker, Robert Barr, William Kane and A. M'Neilly.

CRESTED NORWICH.
Crest Cock—1, T. B. Shannon; 2 and 3, J. Bowman; 4, H. Morrow. Crest Hen—1, J. Bowman; 2, T. B. Shannon; 3 and 4, W. M'Connell. Crested Cock—1 and 4, J. Bowman; 2 and 3, W. M'Connell. Crested Hen—1, T. B. Shannon; 2 and 3, J. Bowman; 4, W. M'Connell.

PLAIN-HEAD NORWICH.
Clear Yellow Cock—1, J. M'Alister; 2, J. Stewart; 3, F. Clawson; 4, S. P. Cairns. Clear Buff Cock—1 and 2, A. M'Vicker; 3, A. Loughridge; 4, A. Black. Ticked Yellow Cock—1, R. Lamb; 2, J. M'Alister; 3 and 4, W. Kane. Ticked Buff Cock—1 and 2, J. Stewart; 3, J. Beattie; 4, A. Black. Variegated or Green Yellow Cock—1, J. Stewart; 2, William Kane; 3, A. M'Neilly; 4, R. Browne. Variegated or Green Buff Cock—1 and 3, J. M'Alister; 2, J. Pratt; 3, R. Browne. Clear Yellow Hen—1, J. Stewart; 2, William Kane; 3, J. M'Alister; 4, J. Pratt. Clear Buff Hen—1, J. Stewart; 2 and 3, J. M'Alister; 4, Mrs. Fawcett. Ticked Yellow Hen—1, 2, and 4, A. M'Vicker; 3, A. Loughridge. Ticked Buff Hen—1, 2, and 4, J. Stewart; 3, Mrs. Fawcett. Variegated or Green Yellow Hen—1, Mrs. Fawcett; 2, J. Pratt; 3 and 4, A. M'Neilly. Variegated or Green Buff Hen—1, A. M'Vicker; 2 and 4, J. M'Alister; 3, William Kane.

YORKSHIRES.
Clear Yellow Cock—1, A. E. Winkup; 2, Thomas Scott; 3, A. South; 4, J. M'Burney. Clear Buff Cock—1, R. Webb; 2 and 4, C. M'Neill; 3, G. M'Clurg. Ticked Yellow Cock—1, A. E. Stantiford; 2, A. E. Winkup; 3 and 4, R. Webb. Ticked Buff Cock—1, J. M'Burney; 2, C. M'Neill; 3, J. M'Clurg; 4, A. South. Variegated or Green Yellow Cock—1, H. Whelan; 2, A. South; 3, J. M'Burney; 4, J. M'Clurg. Variegated or Gn. Buff Cock—1, 2 and 4, J. M'Clurg; 3, A. E. Winkup. Clear Yellow Hen—1, A. E. Stantiford; 2, J. Marcus; 3, A. E. Winkup; 4, J. Neill. Ticked Yellow Hen—1, J. Marcus; 2, R. Curry; 3, J. M'Burney; 4, J. M'Clurg.

BOXING.

CARPENTIER SAYS "SIKI FIRST."

The *New York Herald* (Paris Edition) publishes a flat denial from Carpentier of the report that he has arranged to fight Beckett next January. He declared, "I will not fight anybody until I meet Siki again."

RUGBY.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

The chief match in Dublin to-day is that between Queen's University, Belfast, and Bective Rangers, which will be played at Donnybrook. Queen's met their first reverse of the season when Trinity beat them last Saturday at Belfast, and it will be interesting to see how Bective fare against them. Lansdowne play Blackrock College at Lansdowne road, Clontarf play University College at Castle avenue, and Monkstown will have Loyola as visitors at Sydney parade. Wanderers, Trinity, and Old Wesley travel to Belfast to oppose the North, Instonians and Knock respectively. All matches start at 3 o'clock.

PRINCIPAL TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Queen's University—D. R. Wheeler; R. Wilson, G. V. Stephenson, R. Pedlow, J. M'Feeters; J. H. Strahan, J. E. Campbell; G. Caruth, N. S. Dickson, W. K. Hay, T. A. M'Clelland, F. S. Mayne, L. C. Mayne, S. O. Morrow, N. B. Munn.

Old Wesley—A. H. Kapp; O. R. Darling, W. U. Smith, A. C. M'Gowan, S. W. Johnston; E. W. Massey, R. Holland; R. D. Gray, D. Alley, E. R. Barrett, G. T. C. May, T. B. M'Clure, T. B. Williamson, W. Brown, S. A. Harris.

Old Wesley 2nd—Porter; Latimer, Waugh, Wakely, Harvey; Tombe, Loton; Fitzpatrick, Love, Kay, Martin, Ankettell, Carson, Coulter, Connolly.

Loyola—Rexall; Coyle, Lyons, M'Namara, Armstrong; Rice, M. O'Meara; Early, Murtagh, D. O'Connor, Burke-Savage, R. M'Donnell, J. M'Grath, C. Williams, Brindley.

Loyola 2nd—Marks; F. E. O'Connor, Melcady, L. M'Donnell, Kennedy; T. Morris, B. Morris; Craig, Griffin, M'Gonigal, Moorhead, T. J. M'Loughlin, Kavanagh, M'Dowell, John.

Lansdowne—W. E. Crawford; H. S. Scales, W. J. O'Donel, J. Bell, G. E. Larkin; R. M. Campbell, D. R. Robertson; H. Bell, A. D. Brennan, J. W. Brennan, W. Brown, G. N. Clark, J. S. Pettigrew, W. Ludendorff, P. Whitty.

Lansdowne 2nd—C. D. Hewat; N. M. Falkiner, V. Harris, R. W. Jeffares, E. M. Wright; C. P. Randel, H. C. Dodds; G. E. Clarke, J. A. Godfrey, L. E. Healy, R. J. Henry, E. G. Pemberton, A. H. Pike, R. T. Somerville, F. Thompson.

Clontarf—H. T. S. Cormac; J. N. Dollar, J. H. Hopkins, W. L. Freeman, A. Kelly; J. J. Booth, A. E. Dallas; J. A. Watts, V. H. Bradley, E. Roche, J. Quinn, W. A. Barton, W. McL. Moffat, S. P. Mercier, P. O'Reilly.

Clontarf 2nd—J. C. Montgomery; J. Lees, E. Wheeler, R. H. Feary, B. Buckley; P. M'Grath, N. H. Cooke; M. M'Mahon, T. Dorney, W. Lyons, J. Roche, H. Haughton, H. Healy, V. Cooke, R. Love.

Wanderers—D. Kennedy; M. Wilson, A. Reeves, G. Wolseley, A. E. Murphy; A. Sanderson, Rev. R. Watson (capt.); C. H. Ackland, H. R. Bardon, R. T. Cherry, S. G. Darling, H. N. Potterton, C. Tyndall, D. T. Young, J. H. Wherry.

Dublin University—Davies; Cussen, M'Guire, Sugden, Steele; Stewart, Malan; Clinch, Crichton, Shepherd, Speedy, Smith, Stuart, Owens, Thompson.

Dublin University 2nd—Heaslip; Baker, Millin, R. Cussen, Dudgeon; Nunns, M'Caldin; Chance, Du Toit, Harte, Kalmanson, Speedy, Woods, Wallace.

College of Surgeons—Bermingham; Osborne, Douris, Carroll, Freeman; Lyons, O'Neill; O'Neill, Dunwoody, Owens, O'Connor, Hederman, Kenny, O'Regan, Shaw.

Palmerston 2nd—P. Hussey; F. E. Heron, E. B. Keatinge, M. Blunden, C. G. Langford; W. H. Jolley, S. Henchie (capt.); C. Hill, G. Dallaghan, ... Ellis, D. Hussey, B. A. Halliday, R. Shortt, R. N. Wynne, W. Stephen.

Bray—Scannel; J. Byrne, Johnson, O'Carroll, Bateman; M'Carthy, Coghlan; Lane, O'Leary, Norwood, R. M'Carthy, T. M'Carthy, G. O'Reilly, MacDonnell, R. O'Reilly.

Bective Rangers v. Queen's University, Belfast. Donnybrook. Referee—Mr. V. V. Drennan.
Lansdowne v. Blackrock. Lansdowne road. Referee—Mr. C. P. Stuart.
Clontarf v. University College. Castle avenue. Referee—Mr. A. S. Matthews.
Monkstown v. Loyola. Sydney parade. Referee—Mr. H. S. Hill.
North of Ireland v. Wanderers. Belfast.
Instonians v. Dublin University. Belfast.
Knock v. Old Wesley. Belfast.
Dublin University 2nd v. College of Surgeons (J.L.). College Park.
Palmerstown 2nd v. Lansdowne 2nd (J.L.). Milltown.
Blackrock 2nd v. Clontarf 2nd (J.L.). Williamstown.
Loyola 2nd v. Monkstown 2nd (J.L.). Beechill.
Old Wesley 2nd v. B. and S. P. U. (J.L.). Donnybrook.
B. and S.P.U. 2nd v. Old Wesley 3rd (M.L.). Park avenue.
College of Surgeons 2nd v. Dublin University 3rd (M.L.). Kimmage road.
Wanderers 3rd A v. Clontarf 3rd A. Lansdowne road.
St. Andrew's College v. Lansdowne 3rd. Stillorgan road.
Bray 2nd v. Bective Rangers 3rd (M.L.). Bray.
Clontarf 3rd v. Blackrock 3rd (M.L.). Castle avenue.
Monkstown 3rd v. Loyola 3rd (M.L.). Sandymount road.
Castleknock College (J.C.T.) v. Blackrock College (J.C.T.). Castleknock.
King's Hospital v. Old Wesley 3rd A. Blackhall place.
College of Science 2nd v. Palmerston 3rd. Nutley avenue.
Belvedere College (S.C.T.) v. C.U.S. (S.C.T.). Jones's road.
C.U.S. (J.C.T.) v. Belvedere (J.C.T.). Bath avenue.
Mountjoy School v. College of Science. Howth road.
King's Hospital (J.C.T.) v. St. Andrew's College (J.C.T.). Blackhall place.
Masonic School v. High School (S.C.T.). Clonskeagh.
High School (J.C.T.) v. Masonic School (J.C.T.). Belgrave square.
Earlsfort H.S. v. Morgan's School. Belmont avenue.
St. Columba's College (S.C.T.) v. Rath. Rathfarnham.
Sandford Park School (under 13) v. C.U.S. (under 13). Sandford.
Coleraine A.I. v. Portora R.S. Derry.
Bray v. Enniscorthy. Bray.
Matches start at 3 o'clock.

Palmerston 3rd A v. Blackrock College—Palmerston members please note that this match has been postponed at the request of Blackrock.

HOCKEY.

INTER-UNIVERSITY MATCH.

Of course, the inter-University match, Dublin v. Liverpool, in the College Park, and starting at 3 o'clock, is the game of the afternoon. One never knows what may be the strength of a travelling English side, and, no doubt, the standard of English hockey is very high; but, even so, most people are quietly confident of Trinity's ability to win. They are in fine form at home; easily defeated Ranger University last week-end in Wales, and certainly should account for Liverpool University; but that the latter will give them a good game is certain. This fixture robs the Senior League of a match, Monkstown having to stand down idle. But there are two fine games left in that division and it would be a confident prophet who would foretell how the match between Railway Union and Three Rock Rovers at Park avenue will end. The very fact that the former have been doing well, and the latter poorly of late makes the issue even more open, and there is no doubt that Rovers, as well as their opponents, will put up a great game this afternoon. Dublin District v. Kingstown Grammar School also should produce a fine hard match on the Garrison ground, Phœnix Park. Both have come on a lot since they met the last time, and, although the military side won then, a repetition of such an ending is not as simple an affair now, particularly with the best goalkeeper in Leinster in the Grammar School net.

FIXTURES.

INTER-UNIVERSITY MATCH.
Dublin University v. Liverpool University. College Park, 3 o'clock.
SENIOR LEAGUE.
Dublin District v. Kingstown G.S. Phœnix Park.
Railway Union v. Three Rock Rovers. Park avenue, 3 o'clock.
MIDDLE LEAGUE "A."
Y.M.C.A. I. v. Berkshire Band. Claremont road.
Enfield v. Three Rock Rovers II.—Off.
Lancashire Fusiliers v. College of Science I. Phœnix Park.
Monkstown II. v. Railway Union II. Royal terrace.
Dublin University II. v. Rosemount. College Park.
MIDDLE LEAGUE "B."
Railway Union III. v. Three Rock Rovers III. Park avenue, 3 o'clock.
Dublin University III. v. Fairview C.Y.M.S. College Park.
National Bank v. Monkstown. Terenure.
Dalkey v. Y.M.C.A. II. Dalkey.
Kingstown G.S. II. v. College of Surgeons. Tivoli terrace.
Portrane Asylum v. Bray.
JUNIOR LEAGUE.
Bray v. Railway Union. Bray.
College of Science v. Fairview C.Y.M.S. Philipsburgh avenue.
Dalkey v. Rosemount. Dalkey.
Dublin University 3rd A v. National Bank.
C.I.T.C. v. Monkstown.
Pembroke Wanderers v. Rathgar. Serpentine avenue, 3 o'clock.

TEAMS.

Dublin University—J. G. MacManaway; C. Blair-White, J. Levingstone; M. D. Fox, E. J. B. Gahan, H. W. Strong (capt.); J. M. Eyre, R. S. Evans, W. R. Aykroyd, W. P. MacDonagh, W. Acheson.

Three Rock Rovers—Ennis; Pigot, Hall; Wix, Campbell, Brown, O'Reilly, Manly, Mahony, Turpin, Kelly.

Railway Union—J. Hand; K. Browner, V. Tomkins, W. Chiddick (capt.); R. Williams, J. Ryan, T. Browner, C. Sully, V. Sully, H. Sully, and P. Gillespie.

Railway Union II.—Ryan; McEntaggart, Varian; Short, Black, Campbell, Bollard, Bissette, Hennessy, Baker (capt.); and Peatt.

Royal College of Surgeons—Daly (capt.); Shannon, Broughton; Gilbert, McCarthy, Dalrimple; Stead, Scales, Hayden, O'Farrell, McSharry.

Monkstown II.—E. Grant; S. Sweetman, Sergt.-Major Davenport; F. E. Rennison, E. Webb, H. Legge; A. L'Estrange, R. Dormer, B. T. Blackburne, E. Burgess, F. Gray.

Bray 1st—Mulhall, Dexter, Hall; Lee Stuart, Humphreys, Tipping, Davies (capt.), Roberts, Snow, Fields. Team meet Amiens street Station 1.45 p.m.

Dalkey 1st—S. Weir; R. J. Anderson, J. MacManus; J. Maguire, F. Boulger, H. F. Cotton; G. Sullivan, E. Hart, R. O. Davies, G. Watson (capt.), J. Hart.

INTER-UNIVERSITY MATCH. QUEEN'S, BELFAST, DEFEAT LIVERPOOL.

The Liverpool University hockey team visited Belfast to play a good side of Queen's University yesterday.

From the bully-off Queen's forced a corner, which resulted in nothing tangible. Eventually Queen's opened the score by good play by Walker, the Cliftonville cricketer. This was followed immediately by Smith getting away on his own and adding the second goal. The visitors played up better, and netted, but, as White was outside the circle, the score was not allowed. Half-time score—Queen's, 3; Liverpool, nil. On play being resumed the visitors renewed their efforts, and Pinkerton opened the scoring. Smith, however, added another for Queen's. Then Liverpool scored through Earlam. Again the visitors attacked, and were very aggressive, but Bolton and Strahan (backs) were in fine form. Smith got the last goal after a great run, and Queen's won by 5 goals to 3.

CLUB NOTICES.

Three Rock Rovers.—Match with Enfield declared off by the latter.

Railway Union.—Full Committee meeting in pavilion on Monday evening, at 8. Selection Committee meeting at 7.30.

Monkstown III. v. Enfield (Ladies).—Result—A draw of 3 goals each.

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GAELIC PASTIMES.

THE HURLING FIXTURES.

(BY PAT'O.)

At last we are nearing the conclusion of the Leinster Championships. No one can doubt that the senior hurling final will not have improved by keeping. Even the month's extra time allowed for practice by the railway strike has served the Kilkenny team, who should show a vast improvement to-morrow in that essential quality of combination which they lacked when they beat Wexford last month.

There are comparatively few first-class hurling counties in Leinster—four or five at most—and of these Dublin and Kilkenny have cut the bigger figure in championships. The former has won 11 and the latter 16 provincial victories, and in All-Ireland repute the palm also goes to the Southern county. The men from the Nore had a great period between 1900-12, when they vanquished the Munster champions at their best, and even in defeat won for themselves a brilliant reputation. But decadence set in; the veterans retired, and the new recruits lacked their fire and proficiency.

In the meantime, Dublin, by sheer dint of perseverance, had come on apace in strength and, above all, in cohesion. The hard dashes of the Collegians and Faughs for county honours had evolved a combination of rare effectiveness, so that in 1919 they gained provincial, and in 1920 All-Ireland, laurels. In the former year they lost national honours to Cork, but in 1921 they had their revenge by a belated victory in the struggle for the 1920 title. They hold the Leinster Championship for 1921, and early next year will be called upon to defend it against Limerick, who are not prepared to play next month.

But past victories will have little influence upon the course of to-morrow's game at Croke Park, though prestige is not altogether a negligible quality in such a struggle. *Noblesse oblige*, and the great hurling tradition of Kilkenny may give them that ultimate spur that might carry them to victory. Dublin's great asset is the possession of an experienced and victorious team. Kilkenny's great handicap is lack of both these factors. With one exception, Richard Grace, this year's Kilkenny selection contains no link with the palmy days of the county. All are young and inexperienced: against Wexford absolute juniors had to be requisitioned.

On the other side, there is a team of well tried players. The captain, R. Mockler, for one, has seen honoured service in Tipperary before he became to lead Dublin's county team to victory, and wherever he may look he will find around him to-morrow men with whom he has fought many a hard battle. Naturally, the resource and field-craft of such a fifteen is formidable, and it is a characteristic of this metropolitan side that, unless when really outclassed (as against Cork in 1919), their effort is always more than commensurate with the demand upon them. Coolness and unison counter danger, and skill and stamina conquer it.

At the time of writing neither team has been disclosed; but neither, we are certain, will reveal any important changes from their last inter-county appearances. There are no probable defections on the Dublin side. Possibly Kilkenny will be strengthened by a couple of players who were unavoidably prevented from turning out against Wexford. It is certain, in any case, that both will put forth their utmost strength and effort. For Kilkenny victory means an instantaneous revival of their former prestige; for Dublin it means the winning of a Leinster record—the winning of four consecutive hurling championships.

Prior to the senior final (which is fixed for 2.30, with Mr. P. McCullagh, of Wexford, in charge), the junior final will be played. The issue here lies between Kilkenny, also, and Offaly, and it should prove a fast and vigorous game with every prospect of a close finish. Kilkenny have good hopes of victory, judging by their decisive defeat of Dublin in the semi-final. Their second string are an eager and proficient lot, and may win by superior finish against Offaly's strength and looseness of methods. But Offaly are always dangerous opponents, and form at present is nothing to base prophecy upon. Mr. P. Kenefick, of Dublin, will referee.

Special trains are being run for these matches from Birr, Waterford, and Kilkenny, with intermediate calls, so that Dublin hurling lovers will be augmented at headquarters by many provincial enthusiasts. The usual complete Leinster Council arrangements will be in operation, and tedium, if it occurs, will be dispelled by the music of the Artane and Transport Workers' bands.

A meeting of the Council, and also of the Leinster Colleges' Committee, is being held this evening, when the Wicklow-Dublin junior football final (which concludes this year's work) will, no doubt, be confirmed for to-morrow week, and the College competitions put into working order.

There is a good week-end programme of matches in local competitions from Schools' to Senior League ties, and some decisive and interesting events amongst them. Otherwise things are quiet, and will likely remain so till after Christmas. We will have some first-hand tidings from Munster next week, and the prospects of concluding the 1921 Championships early in the New Year may receive some enlightenment.

TO-MORROW'S CHAMPIONSHIPS AT CROKE PARK.

1.15—Offaly v. Kilkenny—Junior Final. Mr. P. Kenefick.
2.30—Dublin v. Kilkenny—Senior Final. Mr. P. McCullagh.

GOLF.

KILLINEY.—To-day—Monthly medal. Committee meeting postponed until Saturday, 25th inst.

GRANGE (ladies' branch).—Tuesday, 21st inst.—Sweepstakes, strokes; draw at 11.30. Results of recent competitions—Monthly medal won by Mrs. Anderson (20), 82. Sweepstakes, strokes, won by Mrs. Tamplin after a tie with Miss Walsh. Sweepstakes v. bogey, won by Mrs. Crowley, 3 down. Mrs. Draper has been awarded a patent practice driver by *Eve*, for holing out in one, the tricky second hole at the "Grange."

ROBIN HOOD (ladies' branch).—Monthly medal won by Mrs. Archer.

CLONTARF.—To-day—Monthly medals (bogey).

HOWTH (ladies' branch).—To-day—Medal and prize presented by Mrs. Wholan. Draw at 1.30 and 2.30, 9 holes, strokes.

OLD STILLORGAN GOLFER'S UNION.—Annual dinner in the Metropole Restaurant this evening at 6.30.

INTERNATIONAL CHESS.

VIENNA, Thursday.

The scores in the International Chess Tournament at the end of the third day were as follows:—Tartakower (Ukraine), 3; Alekhine (Russia), 2½; Rubenstein (Poland), 2½; Wolf (Czecho-Slovakia), 2; Maczy (Hungary), 1½; Gruenfeld (Austria), 1½; Reti (Hungary), 1½; Bogoljubow (Russia), 1; Spielman (Germany), 1½; Bukovics (Austria), 1; Koenig (Austria), ½; Saemisch (Germany), ½; Turrasch (Germany), ½; Kymoch (Austria), 0.

FRIDAY.

The scores at the end of the fourth day's play stood as follows—Tartakower (Ukraine), 4; Alekhine (Russia), 3½; Rubinstein (Poland), 3; Wolf (Czecho-Slovakia), 3; Gruenfeld (Vienna), 2½; Spielmann (Germany), 2; Vukovier (Vienna), 2; Maroczy (Hungary), 1½; Reti (Hungary), 1½; Bogoljubow (Russia), 1; Tarrasch (Germany), 1; Koenig (Vienna), ½; Saemisch (Germany), ½; Takacs (Vienna), 0; Knoch (Vienna), 0.

VOLUNTARY HOSPITALS.

FUTURE FINANCIAL STABILITY.

Thanks to the generosity of the public the voluntary hospital system, so long in peril, has been saved for the time being. Practical measures are now under consideration for securing its future financial stability. With this end in view a conference has been arranged by the Federation of Medical and Allied Services at its Council Chamber, 12 Stratford place, London, at three o'clock, on November 30th.

Lord Islington, a Vice-President of the Federation, will preside, and among those who have promised to speak are Viscount Hambleden, Sir Arthur Stanley, President British Hospitals Association; Sir Alan Anderson, King Edward's Hospital Fund; Sir Napier Burnett, Director of Hospital Services; Dr. Gordon Dill, Joint Hon. Treasurer of the Federation, and Mr. E. W. Morris, C.B.E., London Hospital.

Members from the Governing Bodies of all the principal London hospitals will be present.

PLATFORM AND STAGE.

NEXT WEEK'S BILLS.

The last week of the present Carl Rosa season at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, opens on Monday with "Rigoletto," which will be followed, in the order given, by Gounod's "Romeo and Juliet," "The Lily of Killarney," "Aida," "La Traviata," and "The Bohemian Girl." "Carmen" will be presented at the Saturday matinée.

"Wild Oats," which is described as "a new *pot-pourri* burlesque, a medley of revue, drama, and comedy," will occupy the boards at the Theatre Royal next week. The company includes Tommy Mostol, T. Elder Hearn, Gaby Revette, Ray Zack, Henry Weste, Evie Lawrence, Kathleen Brett, Irene O'Dare, Pansy Taylor, and Alan Bailey.

Next week the Abbey Theatre management will present Mr. William Boyle's three-act comedy, "The Eloquent Dempsy." Mr. Barry Fitzgerald will appear in the title *rôle*. Mr. Boyle's play will be followed by Mr. M. M. Brennan's one-act comedy, "The Young Man from Rathmines."

An all-Irish programme will be presented at the Empire Theatre next week. "Wicklow Gold," the second film to be produced by Irish Photo Plays, Ltd., will be given its first public screening. By many who witnessed the "trade show" this film was considered much better than the company's first production, "Casey's Millions." It features the players who were so successful in the earlier film, and the settings are very picturesque, particularly the County Wicklow scenes. Miss Eileen Hayden, who appears in the film, will sing appropriate songs. The programme also includes a farce, "Wooing the Widow," which will be presented by an all-Dublin cast, including Mary Crowe, John Maguire, Stephen Kearney, and John Buckley.

The principal features in the next Tivoli programme are the Three Nitos, comedy acrobats, and the Rema Duo, in a "sensational musical creation." They will be supported by W. P. J. Shiel Anderson, Scottish baritone; W. P. Wentley, described as "the white Highlander"; Gladys Stone, vocalist; Earle Warwick, in a burlesque act, and Doris and Ernie Miller, entertainers.

The ever-popular "Shaughraun" is the play at the Queen's Theatre on Monday and the following five nights. Tom Moran is the Robert Ffolliott, Frank Dalton the Harvey Duff, P. J. Bourke the Shaughraun, May Fitzpatrick the Art O'Neill, Babs Dalton the Moya, and Dallas Yorke Claire Ffolliott.

Dame Nellie Melba, who will sing at the Theatre Royal, Dublin, on December 2 at 3 p.m., under the auspices of the International Celebrity Subscription Concerts, is looking forward to meeting many of her old friends on her present tour. Madame Melba says that she particularly wants to see all classes in her audience. "I appreciate the honour of wealth and fashion at all my concerts," she declares; "but I want to see the rank and file as well. When I was in Australia I insisted that the maximum price for a ticket for one of my concerts should be the lowest possible. I am glad to see that my agents have reduced the subscription prices for my present tour. It is the dearest wish of my heart to see the masses hearing good music at popular rates."

The attraction at La Scala on Monday will be the Selwick Company's latest release, "The Greatest Love," featuring Vera Gordon, whose success in "Humoresque" will be remembered. Mr. John Moody's orchestra will play appropriate music.

"The Man Who," adapted from an amusing story by Lloyd Osborne, will be the principal film at the Carlton Cinema on Monday. Bert Lytell appears as a young dandy who walks barefooted through the streets in order to break the Boot Trust.

The Grand Central Cinema next Monday features a five-part Mack Sennet comedy, "Love Honour and Behave." The cast includes Marie Prevost, Charles Murray, and Ford Sterling, besides many of the best-known stars of Mack Sennet fame.

A grand matinée performance is announced to take place in the Theatre Royal, Dublin, on Saturday, January 6th. The Misses Mallins are kindly organising it in aid of the Nation's Fund for Nurses, and over 100 of their pupils will take part in the performance. Many novelties and beautiful effects will be introduced.

IRISH HOMING PIGEON UNION.

We are informed by Mr. J. A. Crone, Hon. Secretary of the Irish Homing Pigeon Union, that the Government of Northern Ireland have removed the restrictions on the movement and transit of homing pigeons for the present, and as long as it is considered safe. Briefly the conditions are:—All pigeons consigned to persons resident in Northern Ireland must be consigned to some person who has a permit to keep homing pigeons. Homing pigeons sent to a show should be consigned to the Secretary, who must have a permit. It must be arranged beforehand for him to have a permit issued by a District Inspector, Royal Ulster Constabulary. Homing pigeons sent from Northern Ireland to Southern Ireland must be consigned by persons who have a permit. The railway companies are being informed accordingly.

Mater Sweep Warning.

It having come to the knowledge of the Organiser that certain persons are representing themselves as being authorised to collect money on behalf of the Mater Sweep, the Organiser wishes to announce that no such authority has been given. All blocks and remittances, &c., should be sent to 38 Dame Street only.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY'S HURST PARK MEETING.

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.35 RACE.	3.10 RACE.	3.45 RACE.
Sportsman	Unison (nap).	Page.	Breslane.	Galante colt.	Selene 1, Lady Juror 2, Simon Pure 3.	Hark Forrard.
Man on the Spot	Lord Penzance.	Woodley.	Green Path.	Pharos.	Captain Fracasse.	Pictura.
Sporting Life	Limosin.	Nous Verrons.	Harriboy.	Galante colt.	Selene (nap).	Pictura.
Man on the Spot	Lady Clara.	Dark Vixen.	Harriboy.	Galante colt.	Selene (nap).	Bonne Race.
The Times	Double Court.	Duplicity.	Green Path.	Galante colt.	Simon Pure.	Bonne Race.
D. News	Procis (nap).	Junk.	Breslane.	Pharos.	Selene.	Pictura.
D. Mail	Blarney Stone.	Page.	Breslane.	Pharos.	Selene.	Bonne Race.
D. Chronicle	Procis (nap).	Piddleback.	Leeds United; if ab., Noce D'Argent.	Galante colt.	Simon Pure.	Pictura.
D. Express	Lord Penzance; if ab., Double Court.	Junk; if ab., Our Ben.	Breslane; if ab., Noce D'Argent.	Galante colt (next best).	Selene (nap).	Pictura; if ab., Santaquest.
D. Mirror	Blarney Stone.	Junk.	Noce D'Argent.	Galante colt.	Simon Pure.	Pictura.
D. Graphic	Limosin.	Be Cool.	Breslane (nap).	Galante colt.	Selene.	Pentridge.
Star	Unison.	Junk.	Lake Superior.	Pharos (nap).	Selene.	Bonne Race.
E. News	Lord Penzance.	Page (nap).	Noce D'Argent (nap).	Verdict.	Simon Pure.	Pictura.
Pall Mall	Blarney Stone.	Nous Verrons.	Noce D'Argent.	Verdict.	Captain Fracasse.	Pictura.
E. Standard	Western Hill.	Lado.	Leeds United.	Galante colt.	Simon Pure.	Desmond House.

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NEW LAND ACT BEFORE NEXT MARCH.

CONGESTED DISTRICTS BOARD'S WORK CRITICISED.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE PROBLEM.

When the estimates for the Congested Districts Board were before the Provisional Parliament yesterday the department was criticised for its "neglect of land settlement."

The Minister for Agriculture admitted that the machinery had broken down, but said that the difficulties which had arisen could not have been foreseen. "Congests" had a strong objection to migrating to other districts where land was available for them. His view was that there was only room for one body dealing with land and agriculture. He expected to introduce a new Land Bill before next March.

There was a brief discussion on the need of the strict enforcement of the school attendance clauses of the Education Act, 1892.

ALL THE ESTIMATES PASSED.

The Provisional Parliament met in committee yesterday at 3 o'clock, and resumed the consideration of two estimates which remained over from the previous day.

President Cosgrave moved the adoption of an estimate of £169,750 for grants administered by the Congested Districts Board, including grants in aid.

Mr. William Sears said that the Congested Districts Board had done good work in many respects in the West of Ireland. They had done excellent work for the fisheries, and they had established cottage industries; but they had neglected the most important part of their work—namely, land settlement. They seemed to have neglected that branch of their work altogether.

There were hundreds of thousands of men with their children living on plots of land out of which they could not possibly make a living. They had nothing to do but to send their children to America, and the people were so poor that they were not able to pay their fares to America. These men could be given more land; for the Congested Districts Board had on hands 140,000 acres, and they had them for many years.

Another great hardship was that the poor people had not been able to obtain fuel, as they had been deprived of the bogs.

THE FISHERIES.

Mr. Gerald FitzGibbon (Dublin University) said that he would like to have some assurance from the Minister that the sum of £4,500, which had been voted for the years 1921-22 for fisheries, and which had disappeared from the present estimate, would be restored. He hoped that the policy of aiding the fisheries would not be abandoned altogether.

If the Congested Districts Board were not doing the work, he hoped that the duty would be transferred to some other body. He knew from experience that the Congested Districts Board had done their very best on that branch of their activities, and if they relaxed their efforts that was because they could not get three halfpence from the Government.

Mr. Gorey said that the whole system of the Department of Agriculture and the Congested Districts Board needed to be revised. He believed that they were over-staffed, and he wanted to know when the country was going to get some value for the money which it was paying these people.

Mr. McBride said that the Department of Agriculture, in the largeness of their hearts, had extended the boundaries of certain rivers in the West for the furtherance of private interests. He would ask the Minister for Agriculture to quash the decision of the Department in every one of these cases.

The Minister for Agriculture (Mr. Hogan) said that Mr. Sears had stated the case fairly with regard to the Congested Districts Board, for which this Government was not responsible until last March. In the beginning the Congested Districts Board did very valuable work for the fisheries and in the way of the acquisition and distribution of land.

There was no doubt that, to some extent, the machinery had broken down; but that was not due so much to the *personnel* of the Board as to the fact that complex difficulties had arisen which were not foreseen. These difficulties were, to a great extent, the cause of the breakdown of the Board.

"CONGESTS'" OBJECTIONS.

There were instances of land having been held by the Board for five, six and seven years. In the County of Mayo there were thirty "congests," and the estate that might be divided could provide additional land for only twenty "congests."

The question was what to do with the other ten. The obvious remedy would be migration. The difficulty with regard to migration was that families did not like to leave the place in which they and their ancestors were born. It was an extraordinary objection, and the weeding out of the ten "congests" was a difficulty.

A bill would be introduced to deal with the congested areas. It would be of no use to pass good laws and to have an efficient Land Commission if the laws were not respected, and if the Executive was not in a position to enforce the law, and if public opinion was not with them. No constructive work could be done unless there was law and order.

Law and order had not much respect in this country under English rule, but the law and order he was speaking of were Irish law and order and the proper relations between the people and their Government. His view was that there was room only for one body dealing with land and agriculture in Ireland—(hear, hear)—and he was strongly of opinion that the body that dealt with the acquisition and division of land was the body that ought to be in charge of agriculture.

With regard to Mr. FitzGibbon's question and the £4,500 for fisheries, that money was voted for the purposes of certain work in Galway.

£1,250,000.

In reply to a question by Mr. Johnson, Mr. Hogan explained the effect of the decision of the House of Lords, by which the British Treasury were declared bound to pay to the Congested Districts Board £1,250,000.

Mr. McBride congratulated the Minister upon the "magnificent defence" which he had made for the Congested Districts Board. Stock-jobbing, declared Mr. McBride, was the principal work of the Congested Districts Board, and it should be put a stop to. He wanted the land divided up, and divided up immediately.

Mr. Sears urged that the Congested Districts Board should be set in motion without further delay, with the view to the distribution of land.

Mr. Hogan, in reply to Mr. Sears, said that he expected to have the new Land Bill before the House by March next.

The estimate was passed.

President Cosgrave moved the estimate of £159,500, being the amount required for the Ireland Development Grant in the year ending 31st March, 1923. He explained that £134,500 of this sum was for "excess stock"—that was to say, the interest on excess stock, in order to provide cash payments to persons who sold their lands.

This matter of excess stock was under consideration between the English and the Irish Governments. If the money was not required for excess stock it would possibly be applied to education, transport development, or some other useful purpose.

The estimate was passed.

On the motion of the President, seconded by Mr. Hogan, the passing of the estimates was reported back to the House.

DETAILS WANTED.

METHOD OF PRESENTING ESTIMATES.

Mr. Johnson said that he hoped that the procedure which was adopted in the present instance with regard to the estimates would not be followed in the future. It was not satisfactory that the Minister of Finance should not explain in some detail what the money he asked for was to be devoted to. The House was entitled to have more information with reference to these matters and to the policy of the Government.

Mr. Sears said that it was difficult for the House to get a good grasp of the work of the several departments from the reading of a mass of bald figures, and he suggested that the work of the different departments should be given in charge to as many committees.

Mr. Milroy agreed with Mr. Johnson that the various estimates required full explanation.

Mr. Gorey suggested that an explanatory memorandum should accompany every estimate.

Mr. Cosgrave said that, in introducing these estimates on October 6th, he went into some detail with regard to them. It was the first time that this Government had produced estimates, and it was possible that the procedure which was in operation in the last Dail might be considered a useful precedent to be adopted in future. But they must make up their minds sooner or later as to the definite line to be adopted.

If Ministers were relieved of the duty of carefully looking after the work of their several departments, it would result in a degree of looseness, which would not be in the best interests of the country. The production of the estimates was attended with some difficulty, and Ministers had not had time to consider the best method of introducing them.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

ACT NEEDS AMENDMENT.

Mr. T. O'Connell moved a resolution advocating the enforcement of the compulsory attendance clauses of the Education Act throughout the Free State; that no child under 14 be hired or allowed to engage in street trading; that the Dublin Metropolitan Police and Civic Guard act as school attendance officers, and that fines for non-compliance with the Act be increased in the case of the employer from £2 to £5, and in the case of parents or guardians from 5s. to £2.

Mr. O'Connell said that they should remember that this was one of the questions which was not regarded as a matter of party. The attendance of children at schools was notoriously irregular. If effective work was to be done a regular attendance was necessary. Efforts were being made by the new educational authorities to lay the foundation of a Gaelic State. Regulations had been made for the teaching of the Irish language in the schools; but, no matter how good the programme was, all efforts would be useless unless the children went to school.

The percentage of attendance in England was 89 per cent.; in Scotland 86; in Japan, Germany, and America 90; but in Ireland it was only 68.9. Out of 900,000 school-going children in Ireland 730,000 were on the rolls, out of which number only 523,000 attended daily, so that there were 207,000 children at home from school every day in the year.

It was only right to say that great credit was due to the clergy in the majority of cases, who were doing their best to see that the children attended school regularly.

If they wanted to remedy the present state of affairs, the same remedy that had been found necessary to deal with it in other countries must be adopted here, and that was a proper and effective measure of compulsory attendance. It was, to express the desire of the Dail, that proper legislation was required to deal with the question that the present resolution was proposed. The existing Act was virtually useless, and should be amended. The Northern Government had already made recommendations similar to those proposed.

Mr. Day formally seconded the motion.

ACCOMMODATION.

Mr. Finian Lynch said that the resolution had his entire sympathy, and, as a matter of fact, this question had been before the Ministry since the Provisional Government was formed. The question of providing accommodation for the children who were not now attending school was, however, one that they would have to be prepared for before the House actually made this law; and the clause forbidding the employment of children under 14 years was one that required very careful consideration, as, he was afraid, they would hit the very poorest at the moment if they ran themselves into it.

Mr. O'Higgins said that he would like to be satisfied that the civilian committee, with the employment of its civilian officer, had definitely failed before they adopted the clause providing that the Dublin Metropolitan Police and Civic Guard should perform all the duties of school attendance officers.

Professor Thrift said that probably every member of the House would accept the principle of the resolution, but it was very difficult to express an opinion about the isolated clauses until they had the bill before them.

Professor Magennis, referring to the clause regarding the distance which would excuse non-attendance, said that he was sure that the prevalence of tuberculosis in the country was largely caused by the absence of facilities for protecting children who had to walk long distances to school in wet clothes.

When the House gave their consent to this bill they would, he hoped, see that the teachers were not penalised as a result of their reformatory zeal.

SUBSTITUTE RESOLUTION.

Mr. O'Connell said that his object in putting in these clauses was that a discussion on them would serve a useful purpose. If it met with the approval of the House he was prepared to propose the resolution as it stood, as far as the word "amendment." That contained the principle and expressed the desire of the Dail that the Act should be amended at the earliest possible opportunity.

These clauses were only some of the things that he would like to see in the Act. He would propose the resolution, which would mean, if passed, that he was not insisting now on going into Committee at all.

"That, inasmuch as the attendance of children at school has of late been notoriously irregular, and as the present compulsory attendance law has proved to be inadequate to deal with the situation thus created, it is the desire of this Dail that the compulsory attendance clauses of the Irish Education Act, 1892, should, at the earliest available opportunity, be amended."

He hoped that this matter would be dealt with, in the form of a bill at the earliest possible opportunity.

Permission was given to Mr. O'Connell to withdraw his original resolution.

Mr. de Roiste seconded the substituted resolution, and it was passed.

The House adjourned until Tuesday, the 28th inst.

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TREATMENT OF PRISONERS.

INQUIRY DECLARED ILLEGAL.

MEMBERS TO REPORT TO COUNCIL.

The third sitting of the Commission appointed by the Dublin Corporation to investigate the treatment of prisoners took place in the Mansion House last night, Mr. P. T. Daly presiding.

At the opening of the sitting, Mr. Walsh, Assistant Town Clerk, read the following letter from the Provisional Government:—

"I am directed by the President to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 14th inst., in which you state that a Committee, set up by the Municipal Council, is at present conducting a sworn inquiry into allegations made as to the treatment of prisoners, and asking for safe conduct to and from the place of inquiry for persons selected to give evidence.

"I am to point out that a sworn inquiry, in the circumstances, is illegal, and if it is persisted in, the matter will be referred to the Chief State Solicitor, with a view to advising on a prosecution."

Mrs. Josephine Clarke, on being called, handed in a statement written by her husband, which was not read in public.

The Chairman said that, having considered the letter from the Provisional Government, it had been decided to go on, as they had been instructed to do, until such time as they reported back to the Council, and received further instructions as to their future action.

Rev. Kieran O'Farrelly, Mount Argus, came forward to give evidence, and the Chairman said that they would not insult him by asking him to take an oath.

Father O'Farrelly then repeated the statement which he had made at the public meeting in the Mansion House, and which has already been fully reported.

The Chairman said that, in the absence of Mr. Lynn, on behalf of the prisoners, the Commission had decided to adjourn until Monday night. He then retired.

This caused disappointment among those present, and, after a brief interval, Madame Gonne MacBride said:—

"I think we will now go up to Mountjoy Prison. I hear that Miss Annie MacSwiney is standing at the jail gate, and says she will not leave until her sister is released."

Cries of "We will stay with her."

The women then went out, and there was a noisy demonstration as a lorry load of national troops passed along Dawson street.

COMPENSATION CLAIMS.

The following fresh claims for property damaged or destroyed have been received by the Irish Provisional Government:—

James Higgins, Emly, Co. Tipperary	£4,000
Hugh Gilson, Oldcastle	684
Julia Vaughan, Emly	530
Messrs. K. B. Williams and Sons, Mallow, Co. Cork	415
Mrs. Mary Barron Newell, Woodstown, Co. Waterford	250
John Farrelly, Chapel street, Oldcastle	227

Messrs. Hanley Bros., Ballina, Co. Mayo; claim £352 for goods seized.

A claim for £200 for personal injury has been received from C. O'Donnell, 12 Boherbuoy, Limerick.

CORK SHIPPING DUES.

LONDON COMPANY'S ACTION.

In the King's Bench Division, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the action of the Amalgamated Industrials Company, Ltd., of London, v. the Cork Harbour Commissioners,

Mr. Conner, K.C., with whom was Mr. Cullinan (instructed by Mr. William Murphy), applied on behalf of the Harbour Commissioners for an order setting aside a judgment marked in default of appearance. The action had been brought by the plaintiffs for the recovery of £87 19s. 3d., paid to the defendants under duress and under protest for the purpose of releasing the steamship Melmore Head, the property of the plaintiffs, and damages for the wrongful detention of the steamship by the plaintiffs. The Harbour Commissioners distrained the ship for harbour dues, which the plaintiffs said were improperly calculated, and the question in the action depended upon the proper construction of the Cork Harbour Act of 1883 and a schedule, and the proper meaning of the words "entire cargo." No appearance was entered to the writ, which was issued on the 17th June, 1922, and interlocutory judgment was marked on the 10th October.

Sir James Long, Secretary of the Harbour Commissioners, stated in an affidavit the reasons why an appearance had not been entered to the writ. Counsel read the affidavit, in the course of which Sir James Long said that, as the plaintiffs continued to deny the right of the defendants to impose dues at the rate charged, the Commissioners were obliged to assert their legal powers and direct the harbour authorities to refuse a clearance to plaintiffs' vessel unless the plaintiffs first paid the sum mentioned in the writ, which represented the difference between the rate at which the defendants charged and the rate at which the plaintiffs were prepared to pay. The defendants had a good and valid defence to the action.

POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS.

In view of the political conditions prevailing in Ireland at the time, the Commissioners were not prepared to appear as parties to proceedings instituted in the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, and so informed plaintiffs' solicitor, and intimated at the same time their readiness to have the dispute arbitrated upon in the Circuit Court then functioning under the sanction of the Provisional Government in order to expedite a decision on the question and avoid the delay, inconvenience and expense involved in having a trial of the matter in Dublin. The plaintiffs would not accept the suggested tribunal or the local venue, and instead served the writ. The Commissioners, therefore, did not appear to the writ, and interlocutory judgment was marked on the 10th October. Following the cessation of the Circuit Courts and the Superior Court held in connection therewith by the decree of the Dail, the Commissioners again considered the questions involved in the action, and decided to instruct their Law Agent to defend it.

Mr. Justice Dodd—You were able to seize the ship, but you were not able to obey my writ and enter an appearance in my Court?

Mr. Conner—There was no other detention except to stop the ship. The money was paid at once.

Mr. Justice Dodd—You had time to extort money, and you had not time or inclination to enter an appearance to the writ?

Mr. FitzGibbon, K.C. (instructed by Mr. Arthur Julian), for the plaintiffs, opposed the application.

Mr. Justice Dodd said that he had no jurisdiction to touch the judgment. The defendants appeared to have gone out of their way to show that everything that ought to be done by the plaintiffs was done. The affidavit which was filed on behalf of the defendants in support of the motion was an affidavit on which the plaintiffs could have relied as a good ground for not touching the judgment. He refused the motion with costs.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

Nurses and Jury Exemption: Central Catholic Library.
Women Printers' Wages: Officers' Friend.
Road Dangers: Racecourse Wanted.
Sunday Reviews Deplored.

COMMISSION ON PRICES.—A public session of the Commission on Prices appointed by the Provisional Government is announced to be held at an early date, when evidence will be invited from the purchasing public as to the retail prices of various household commodities. Those who desire to give evidence are invited to communicate with the Secretary of the Commission at room No. 213, Government Buildings, Upper Merrion street, Dublin, on or before the 30th, specifying the commodity or commodities in respect of which it is proposed to tender evidence. Full particulars will be found in an advertisement which appears on another page.

NURSING COUNCIL.—The General Nursing Council of Ireland reminds nurses that the last day for receiving applications for registration without examination is March 31st next. The Council has adopted regulations with regard to the recognition of hospitals as training schools for nurses. Hospitals that wish to be so recognised should apply to the Council. The Council has adopted the following resolution:—"We strongly recommend that trained nurses be exempted from service on juries."

CATHOLIC LITERATURE.—A central Catholic library has been established at 34 Westmoreland street, Dublin, to provide facilities for studying the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church on any particular subject. The appeal which precedes the list of subscriptions published in our advertising columns states that the library "is a permanent exhibition, as it were, of Catholic intellectual achievement, a storehouse of the thoughts of the great Catholic writers of many ages and nations." It aims at becoming a leading library, in addition to providing works for reference and a reading-room, and is conducted, under the patronage of Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin, by the Central Catholic Library Association, with the collaboration of the Jesuit Fathers. Admission to the library is free, and it is open daily (Sundays included) from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., so that it caters for the leisure hours of the majority of people.

PRESENTATION TO RAILWAY MANAGER.—Officials in the railway and shipping services have made presentations to Mr. James Cowie, who recently retired from the position of manager and secretary of the Midland Railway (Northern Counties Committee), as a token of their esteem and good wishes. The presentation was made at a meeting of the Railway Managers' Conference, when tributes were paid to Mr. Cowie's services to the Conference.

PRINTING TRADE WAGES.—Miss Bennett, joint secretary of the Irish Women Workers' Union, writes that, in the case of women employed in the printing trade, no wages agreement has been reached. The women are resisting a proposal to reduce by 3s. their present wage of 35s. a week, which "is under that paid to skilled women in the printing trade in comparable centres elsewhere."

FARRIERS' WAGES MEETING.—Following an adjourned conference between the Dublin Master Farriers' Association and the Irish Transport Union with regard to a proposal to reduce wages by 15s. a week, a meeting of the working farriers will be held in Liberty Hall to-morrow at half-past twelve o'clock.

"OFFICERS' FRIEND."—Lieut.-Colonel Holmes-Wilson, "Officers' Friend," will be pleased to see or hear from any ex-officers, the dependents of officers, or nurses, whom he can help in regard to their pensions. The headquarters of the "Officers' Friend" Branch are at 41 Upper Fitzwilliam street, Dublin.

CONNAUGHT.

AUCTION AT GARBALLY.—Messrs. Bennett and Son, of Dublin, have concluded a three days sale of furniture and pictures in the mansion, Garbally, Co. Galway. There was a good attendance of buyers from Dublin and the provinces, and competition was brisk. A Louis XVI. chest of drawers sold for 145 guineas; a small French cabinet of drawers realised 60 guineas; an Irish Chippendale table in mahogany, 50 guineas; and a Louis XVI. writing table 60 guineas.

ANXIOUS TO LEARN IRISH.—At the last meeting of the Roscommon County Board of Health the secretary mentioned that the officials were most anxious to secure a working knowledge of Irish, but that there were no local facilities for acquiring it. A public meeting has been called to make arrangements for holding Irish classes.

FISH DIET FOR UNION.—Roscommon County Board of Health Committee has adopted a suggestion of the Irish Local Government Department to include fish in the dietary scale of the County Home inmates.

MUNSTER.

CIVILIANS AMBUSHED.—Two pig buyers travelling from Birr to Roscrea were "ambushed" on Thursday evening. A mine blew up in front of their car, and shots were fired at them. They jumped into a ditch for shelter, and were not hurt. It is believed that the motor car was mistaken for a National soldiers' vehicle. Troops afterwards searched the area without success.

RACECOURSE RENT OBJECTION.—At a meeting of the Longford Race Committee, the landlords of the course, Messrs. Lyons and Murray, intimated that they could not give a reduction in the rent of £125 for the three meetings held during the year. The Committee decided that the rent is too high, and that it will look for another course.

ONE-MAN STRIKE.—One workman, employed by a farmer at Kilmeague, Co. Kildare, has gone on strike as a protest against a wages "cut."

TULLAMORE MARKET.—Turkeys, 1s. a pound; geese, 5s. each; ducks, 2s.; chickens, 6s. to 9s. a pair; eggs, 3s. a dozen; butter, 2s. 4d. to 2s. 6d. a pound.

ULSTER.

SUNDAY REVIEWS.—Limavady Presbytery has passed a resolution protesting against the arrangements made to hold a review of the "B" class Specials of Limavady and district to-morrow. While appreciating the work of the Specials in guarding the province and maintaining law and order, the Presbytery considers that nothing is to be gained by holding the proposed review on the "Day of Rest." "We are very glad, indeed, to know now that the arranged review has been cancelled," the resolution goes on . . . "We deplore the multiplication of church parades on Sabbath Days, and urge upon all our people the necessity of being present at the stated services of their own church."

WELL-EQUIPPED DISTILLERY.—William John Chambers, 6 Riversdale street, Belfast, was remanded in the Belfast Police Court yesterday, on a charge of having in his house an apparatus for use in illicit distillation. A police sergeant stated that in a back room at prisoner's house he found a still, still-head, worm, cooler, two tanks, eight pewter measures of various sizes, and a gas-ring. In one of the tanks he found fifty gallons of singlings, and in the other a quantity of wash. There was also a lead pipe fitted up to carry the necessary cold water, and the gas-ring was attached to a gaspipe in another room.

HOUSE SET ON FIRE.—The residence of Mr. David Lee, of Carrowbeg, near Dungannon, was maliciously set on fire while the owner was absent on election duty in the Unionists' interests. The outbreak was confined to two rooms in the front portion of the building, the contents of which, together with a portion of the roof, were destroyed. Five empty bottles, which had contained petrol, together with a quantity of tow saturated with paraffin, were found outside a window which had been forced open.

INSECURE KNOT CAUSES DEATH.—Evidence was given at a Newry inquest, on Charles Wilkin, Dundalk, a workman employed by the Great Northern Railway (I.), who was killed while assisting to move a pile-driver at Buttercrane quay bridge, Newry, that the machine toppled over owing to the slipping of a knot in one of the securing ropes. The jury found a verdict of accidental death.

CITY SHOOTING INCIDENT.—Two men entered the premises of Mr. William Nugent, Brougham street, Belfast, threw a sack over the head of the foreman, James Todd, and fired a shot at him. He was badly wounded and taken to hospital. No motive can be assigned for the outrage.

WORK FOR BELFAST.—H.M.S. Hindustan arrived in the Victoria Channel, Belfast, yesterday, to be broken up, and will be berthed to-day. The breaking-up operations, on which unemployed are to be engaged, will commence in a few weeks' time.

Barley for malting is being sold in Tullamore at 14s. a barrel, and barley for feeding purposes at 12s.; white oats, 14s.; and black, 12s.

A Newcastle-on-Tyne vessel coaled in Dublin yesterday. The ship had been delayed by the railway strike.

Mr. J. J. Patterson has been appointed Petty Sessions Clerk of Newtownstewart, Co. Tyrone.

Mr. Hugh Minford, of Parkview House, Parkgate, has been sworn in as a Justice of the Peace for County Antrim.

Mr. Hewson Deverell, of 5 Thorny road, Douglas, Isle of Man, who died in July, while domiciled in Ireland, left personal estate in England and Ireland valued at £2,634.

At Derry road, Strabane, two fields of grass have been let by auction at £6 10s. an acre. This is a "record" price for the district.

John Guy (19), of 34 Aungier street, a labourer, employed by the Board of Works, died suddenly in the Phœnix Park yesterday.

Major Thomas Boyle Meredith, Royal Irish Regiment, of Graigue, Conna, Bray, who died in July, aged 84 years, left personal estate in England and Ireland valued at £2,727, of which £180 is in England. The testator left £25 to the Rector and Churchwardens of Bray for Church purposes.

Belfast East End Amateur Swimming Club has given a cheque for £160 14s. to the Ulster Hospital for Children and Women, Templemore avenue, of which £110 14s. was raised by the women's branch.

At a meeting of the Dublin Society of Model and Experimental Engineers, in the National University, Dublin, last night, an interesting paper, entitled "Reminiscences of the Society," was read by Mr. J. Skelton, one of its oldest members.

Mr. E. Marriage lectured to the Photographic Society of Ireland, in the Architects' Hall, South Frederick street, Dublin, last night, on "Telephotography." The lecture, which was illustrated by lantern slides, explained the technical side of the art.

CORK HARBOUR.

AN ELECTION CHALLENGED.

In the King's Bench Division, before the Lord Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Dodd, in the case of the Queenstown Urban District Council v. the Cork Corporation,

Mr. Serjeant McSweeny, with whom was Mr. H. J. Moloney (instructed by Messrs. MacCarthy, Hanrahan and Moloney) applied on behalf of the Queenstown Urban District Council for a conditional order for a writ of *mandamus*, directed to the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Corporation of Cork, that they forthwith proceed to elect some duly qualified person or persons as Commissioner or Commissioners for the purposes of, and as directed by, Section 37 of the Cork Harbour Act, 1883. Counsel said that in 1883 certain inhabitants connected with the shipping trade promoted a bill in Parliament for the purpose of establishing a regular Harbour Board for the Lower Harbour. As a result of a compromise between the Cork Corporation and the promoters of the bill, it was agreed that three persons representing the Lower Harbour were to be elected upon the Harbour Board for the lower area. It was obligatory upon the Corporation to appoint and maintain them.

QUALIFICATION OF A CANDIDATE.

Counsel moved on the joint affidavit of Mr. Hugh F. O'Reilly, Clerk of the Queenstown Urban District Council, and Mr. Michael Hennessy, Chairman of the Council and one of the Commissioners of the Cork Harbour Board. According to the affidavit, an election took place on June 22 at a meeting of the Cork Corporation of four persons, three representing the Lower Harbour and one the County Council. Six candidates were proposed, George Nason and George Carter and the four retiring Commissioners. The question was raised at the election of the qualification of Messrs. Nason and Carter, as they were not residents of the Lower Harbour, but Messrs. Barrett, Reidy, O'Connor, and Nason were declared elected, Mr. Barrett as representing the County Council, and the others as representing the Lower Harbour. The affidavit alleged that Mr. Nason resided in Cork, was a member of the Cork City Trades Council, and never had a residence or place of business in the Lower Harbour.

Counsel referred to the report of the proceedings of the Corporation meeting, published in the *Cork Examiner*, and said the point was taken by gentlemen who held their position by virtue of Statutes and grants and charters that the law which governed the election of members of the Harbour Board was British law, and that they did not care twopence about it. Apart from the question of Mr. Nason being destitute of a qualification, the election would be void in any case, because the election of the three for the Lower Harbour was associated with the election of the fourth man as the County Council representative.

The Court granted a conditional order for a writ of *mandamus*, and gave fourteen days for showing cause against it.

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WILL LOST IN A RAID.

COPY ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

In the Probate Court, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the goods of Lett Sealy Jeffares, late of The Cottage, Bearlough, Rosslare, Co. Wexford,

Mr. William G. Shannon (instructed by Mr. J. Kennan Cooper) applied for an order that a copy be admitted to probate as a true copy of the will of the deceased. Counsel moved on the affidavit of Mr. J. Kennan Cooper, who stated that the late Mr. Lett was a client of his, and his last will was drawn by him on instructions received personally from Mr. Jeffares. The will was executed by Mr. Jeffares in his office in Wexford on the 30th October, 1915. The testator died on the 19th July, 1922, without having altered or revoked the will.

In the month of September, 1922, the necessary papers for a grant of probate to be made to Samuel G. Armstrong and Henry R. Warren, the executors, were prepared and sworn. The papers, together with the original of the will, he was informed by his town agents, were presented by them at the principal Probate Registry in Dublin; but owing to the destruction of the Four Courts the officials declined to issue grants in cases which could be obtained locally, and stated that a grant in this case should be obtained through the local Registry at Waterford. The papers and the original will were returned to him (Mr. Cooper), and he sent them by registered post addressed to the Registrar of the District Probate Registry at Waterford, but they were never received by the Registrar. He had been informed by the postal authorities at Wexford that the mails were raided on the 3rd October, 1922, at Palace East, a station on the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway, between Wexford and Waterford, and that all the registered letters were abstracted. To the best of his belief the registered letter to the Registrar was amongst those abstracted. Prior to forwarding the original of the will to the Registrar a true copy of it was made in his office.

Mr. Justice Dodd granted the application.

SPEED OF A MOTOR CAR.

In the Southern Police Court, Dublin, yesterday, before Mr. Collins, K.C., Richard M. Brody, of 9 Upper Bridge street, taxicab proprietor, was summoned by Sergeant O'Callaghan (15 A) for driving a motor car at a speed, and in a manner, dangerous to the public.

Mr. J. W. Davis, solicitor, appeared to prosecute.

Sergeant O'Callaghan stated that on the 14th October the defendant drove his motor car at a speed of at least twenty miles an hour through Patrick street, and knocked down a woman named Catherine Clithero, of 40 Mercer's street. The car struck the woman and threw her on to the bonnet, proceeding for a distance of about twenty yards before it was brought to a stand-still.

The defendant denied that he was going at an excessive speed, and said that the accident to the woman was unavoidable.

Evidence in support of this statement was given by Mrs. Mahony, 111 Lower Clanbrassil street, and her son, who were in the motor car at the time.

The magistrate imposed a fine of £5.

BASIS OF TRUE LIBERTY.

RECORDER AND GOOD CITIZENSHIP.

HEAVY SENTENCES IN "HOLD-UP" CASES.

Addressing the Grand Jury at the Dublin Criminal Sessions yesterday, the Recorder said that there were 28 cases in the list. There were, he regretted to say, some six or seven cases of robbery with violence—cases of an extremely serious character. Two men were charged with having in Chapel lane, Capel street, robbed a man named Dunne of £5. They went to his shop armed with revolvers, demanded £20, and said that they did so for "Republican Funds." That was a very handy way of getting money. They met Dunne and marched him to his establishment, made him produce the keys, and one of them observed, "The captain is waiting." They then left, having robbed Dunne. In another case provisions were stolen to the value of £92 10s., and in another £127 17s., the property of a person named Kavanagh, was taken. The men in this case brought a motor car with them, and swept the whole shop clean of goods, and then they went through the absurd sham of giving "receipts." If such a thing were permissible for a moment there would be an end of all security for the property of the citizens.

The Grand Jury would have before them a somewhat remarkable case in which the premises of Denis Mordaunt, who keeps a shop at St. Alban's road, were entered by two armed men, who attempted to terrorise the girl behind the counter. She called out, and Mr. Mordaunt came and faced these desperadoes. He knocked one of them down, when the second man fired several shots, which fortunately missed Mordaunt. They succeeded in taking £6 with them. Nothing but praise could be applied to the good citizenship and bravery of Mr. Mordaunt.

Referring to the glass-breaking nuisance, the Recorder said that in one of these cases the accused said, "I won't have to pay for that; the ratepayers are well able to pay." Under the existing law this was so, and it was an extraordinary condition of affairs. The windows were insured, and the ratepayers had to pay, while the insurance company got the premiums. The law in reference to this class of case should be changed. In another case a woman who smashed a window said, "I meant to strike old Tom, and not the window." (Laughter.)

Concluding, the Recorder said that he would not refer to existing conditions, with which the jury were familiar, but he ventured to predict that they would wholly disappear before the courageous loyalty of the citizens to the claims of justice, the basis on which true liberty and order rested.

PENAL SERVITUDE FOR CATTLE-LIFTING.

James O'Donnell pleaded not guilty to the larceny of five cattle, the property of Mr. Salter, Ballylube, County Carlow, on 5th of October.

The prisoner stated that he bought seven cattle from two parties and sold five of them.

The jury found the prisoner guilty. There were four previous convictions against him for cattle stealing.

The Recorder said that the prisoner appeared to specialise in cattle lifting, and he would have to go to penal servitude for seven years.

FIVE YEARS FOR SEIZING PROPERTY.

Christopher Clifford pleaded guilty to assaulting James Kavanagh on 28th June last, and stealing £92 18s. 9d. and a quantity of butter and tinned beef, the property of James Kavanagh.

The Recorder sentenced the prisoner to penal servitude for five years, and said that he would do everything in his power to put down this crime of "holding up." This was a most nefarious case, and he hoped that the Oriel House officials would pursue the matter further, and endeavour to bring the gang to justice.

An officer of the C.I.D. said that the matter was having their close attention.

The Recorder said that he was sure of that, and that the gang would be brought to justice. The officers of Oriel House had given the greatest possible assistance in the administration of justice.

Bert Lee was indicted for having, on 27th October, with others, armed with revolvers, assaulted Peter Brady, 43 Belvedere place, and with stealing money and a large quantity of cigarettes.

Peter Brady stated that when the prisoner, with another man, came into his house he said that he wanted cigarettes for a person who was sick in hospital.

The prisoner was found guilty, and the Recorder imposed a sentence of five years' penal servitude.

SHOTS IN A SHOP.

James Ryan pleaded not guilty to a charge of entering, while armed, the premises of Mr. Denis Mordaunt, publican, 33 St. Alban's road, and robbing him of the sum of £6, and attempting to shoot Mr. Mordaunt.

Mr. Mordaunt stated that he caught one of the men. He held him with his left hand, and tried to "knock him out" with the right, but went too high. (Laughter.) Another man, who was near the door, fired at him, but missed him. After a struggle the men got away. There was about £6 taken. At an identification parade he picked out the prisoner, and asked him what gave him the black eye, and he said, "It may have been a fly." (Laughter.)

An officer from Oriel House gave evidence of the arrest.

The Recorder said that Mr. Mordaunt acted with great bravery, and it was perfectly clear that while he was struggling with the prisoner the other man tried to shoot him.

The jury found the prisoner guilty, and, in sentencing him to five years' penal servitude, the Recorder said that if he was convicted in England he would get the lash as well.

THEFT FROM A TRAMCAR.

Martin Byrne pleaded not guilty to the larceny of a suit case, the property of Mr. M. Lawless, on 14th October from a tramcar at Arran quay.

Evidence showed that Mr. Lawless left his bag on the outside of the car at Kingsbridge. Three men entered, one of them being the accused, and when the tram reached Arran quay the men jumped off, and the accused rolled in the mud with the bag, and was captured. He was found guilty.

There were thirteen previous convictions, and prisoner was sent to jail for eighteen months, with hard labour.

ASSAULTING A SOLDIER.

Lily Taylor was charged with assaulting Michael Buckley, a National soldier, on 22nd October.

Sergeant Buckley stated that the prisoner came to the Brunswick street Barrack on October 22nd. She wanted to get in, and threw two stones at him. They missed him, but one of the stones broke a shop window.

The jury found the prisoner guilty of common assault. There were 106 previous convictions, and the prisoner was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

CYCLING WITHOUT A LIGHT.

Before Mr. Lupton, K.C., yesterday, in the Northern Police Court, Dublin, a number of persons were fined 5s. each for cycling without a light. The explanation given in some cases was that the lamps had been stolen, and in others that the defendants did not anticipate being out so late.

Mr. Lupton said that he had to consider the safety of the public. Anyone walking along a road in Dublin after dark would see two bicycles without a light for the one that had a light. He had constantly seen people nearly run down by cyclists who had no lamps.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Saturday, Nov. 18, 1922.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Before Mr. Stubbs, at 11—A. R. Raphael and ors. settle sch. Before Mr. Wilson, at 11—Fanny Pyne (Marshall's) head rent, disch. rulings.

MICHAELMAS SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—The City Jurors, Special and Common, will be required to attend on Monday next, November 20th.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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Commission on Prices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commission on Prices appointed by the Minister of Industry and Commerce in accordance with a resolution of An Dail dated the 20th October, 1922, proposes to hold at an early date a

Public Session

for the purpose of receiving evidence direct from the purchasing public

As to the Current Retail Prices of the following commodities:—

Flour and Bread, Porter and Stout, Meat, Milk, Potatoes and Other Vegetables, Tobacco and Coal.

Members of the Public who desire to give evidence should communicate with the Secretary to the Commission at Room No. 213, Government Buildings, Upper Merrion Street, Dublin, not later than the 30th instant, specifying the commodity or commodities in respect of which it is proposed to tender evidence.

The Secretary will thereupon notify each correspondent as to the date, hour, and place at which the Commission will take his or her evidence in Public Session.

(By Order)

(Signed) D. SULLIVAN, Secretary.

18th November, 1922.

K.A.A.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

TO-MORROW

WILL BE

ROOMKEEPERS' SUNDAY,

WHEN,

By permission of His Grace

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THE

ANNUAL CHARITY SERMON

IN AID OF

THE SICK AND INDIGENT ROOMKEEPERS' SOCIETY

(INCORPORATED),

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DUBLIN AND DISTRICT BRANCH.

ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING,

"THE HALL," 35 DAWSON STREET.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 22nd, at 4 p.m.

SIR JOHN MOORE, M.D., F.R.C.P.I., D.L., Will Preside.

Speakers:

MICHAEL COX, Esq., M.D., President of the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland.

P. J. BRADY, Esq., President of the Incorporated Law Society.

SIR EDWARD COEY BIGGER, M.D., M.A.

DR. ELLA WEBB, M.B.E.

Lantern slides will be shown by John W. Storey, Esq., M.B.E., Organising Secretary for Ireland.

SIR PATRICK DUN'S HOSPITAL.

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NO ANNUAL MEETING WILL BE HELD THIS YEAR.

It is hoped that all friends and subscribers to the Guild will not forget the Hospital, which is badly in need of help.

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SERMONS.

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Preacher:

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TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), 19th NOVEMBER.

11.30—Rev. W. CRAWFORD, M.A.

7—Rev. B. BROOKE MORTON.

Subject—"'Give me,' or 'Make me.'—Which?" Anthem—"Morning and Evening."—Oakley.

MAGDALEN CHURCH.

11.30 a.m.—"THEOSOPHY." Rev. J. C. FORRESTER, M.A.

7 p.m.—"THE MEANING OF LIFE—BENEVOLENCE," Rev. J. F. MONCRIEFF COX, B.D.

DONNYBROOK.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH.

11.30—UNVEILING OF THE ARCHDEACON WALSH MEMORIAL.

Preacher—The Archbishop of Dublin.

BRIGHTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH.

11.30 a.m.—Rev. J. M. ALLEY, President, Methodist Church in Ireland.

7 p.m.—Rev. E. W. YOUNG, M.A.

VISITORS CORDIALLY INVITED.

BLACKROCK METHODIST CHURCH.

11.30 and 7.

REV. DR. CARROTHERS.

Evening Subject—"The Free Man's Market."

PUBLIC NOTICES.

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ON

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ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF IRELAND.

The Finance Committee beg to intimate that the Subscription List organised to present a Testimonial to Sir Frederick W. Moore, V.M.H., on his retirement from the Royal Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin, as a mark of appreciation of his great services to horticulture, closes on December 1st, and that by request of the President, the Marquis of Headfort, the Presentation will be made at the Annual General Meeting of the Society on December 22nd, 1922.

E. KNOWLDIN, Secretary.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The anti-cyclone has now moved to a position off South-West Ireland, and winds will be mainly north-westerly over the British Isles. The temperature will be moderate, and the weather cloudy, with slight rain in places, though some brighter periods are probable.

Ireland.—Wind westerly to north-westerly, light or moderate, stronger in places; cloudy, slight rain in places; visibility good.

South-West Seaboard—Mouth of the Channel to S.W. Ireland.—Wind northerly, moderate; cloudy, perhaps slight rain; sea slight; visibility good.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters 17 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day	Morning 10.29	Evening	10.52
To-morrow	„ 11.13	„	11.36

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day	Rises 7.55	Sets	4.26
To-morrow	„ 7.57	„	4.24

LIGHTING-UP TIME ..... 5.26 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Gaiety Theatre—Carl Rosa Opera Co.—"Madam Butterfly," 2.30. "Faust," 7.45.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Home, Sweet Home," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Empire Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Land for the People" and "Crabbed Youth and Age," 2.30 and 8.15 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—Continuous, 3 to 10.30.
La Scala Theatre—Pictures, 3 to 10.30.
Bohemian Picture House—Continuous.
Princess, Rathmines—Pictures, continuous.
The Grafton Picture House—12 to 10.30.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, continuous.
Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Grand Central Cinema—Continuous.
Masterpiece—Continuous.
Dublin Sketching Club Exhibition—Mills' Hall, Merrion row.
Criminal Sessions—11 a.m.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Following the execution of four men who were captured with firearms in their possession, important statements on the policy of the Government to maintain order were made in Parliament yesterday.—(P. 7.)

When the Dublin Municipal Council's Committee met last evening in the Mansion House to continue the sworn inquiry into the treatment of prisoners, a letter was read from the Provisional Government declaring the sworn inquiry illegal. The Committee, in the circumstances, will report to the Council.—(P. 8.)

The last of the Ulster election results—Fermanagh and Tyrone—was announced yesterday, Messrs. T. J. S. Harbison (Nationalist) and Cahir Healy (Sinn Fein) being returned by a combined majority of 12,324 over their Unionist opponents, Messrs. J. A. Pringle and W. E. D. Allen.—(P. 7.)

ABROAD.

It is officially announced that the Sultan of Turkey has been embarked on a British warship, which has left Constantinople for Malta. The Sultan asked for protection, as he was in fear of his life.—(P. 7.)

Speaking in the French Chamber yesterday, M. Poincaré said that there were no inter-Allied difficulties. He hoped to achieve a three-Power *Entente*. France had no faith in German good-will, and would continue to demand her full reparations due.—(P. 7.)

Italy's Minister for the Treasury said yesterday that certain public services would be handed back to private enterprise. It was essential that Italy should reconstruct her financial and fiscal policies.—(P. 7.)

SPORTING.

At Derby yesterday False Alarm won the Derby Cup.—(P. 4.)

COMMERCIAL.

London Stock Markets were strong on the election results, and prices advanced.—(P. 10.)

Treasury bill rates were lower owing to keener bidding. Foreign exchanges were much firmer, marks being up to 29,500.—(P. 10.)

Dublin Stock Market was firm, but idle.—(P. 10.)

The Labour Party.

The most interesting feature of the general election in Great Britain, apart from the paramount fact of Mr. Bonar Law's substantial majority, is the great access of strength to the Labour Party. The first Labour Party of any importance was formed in the House of Commons after the sweeping defeat of the Conservatives in 1906. Then fifty-four members were returned, and we had the first real sign of Labour's growth as a political power. After the war the Labour Party's membership grew, with the help of a number of by-elections, to seventy-seven, and now it has been returned to Parliament in greatly increased numbers. All the results have not yet been declared; but, so far, there are 142 Labour members, and Mr. Clynes's party is now the second largest party in the House of Commons. It is more than likely, for the time being, at any rate, that Mr. Lloyd George and his little band of National Liberal followers will observe, at worst, a benevolent neutrality towards the Government; quite possibly, indeed, they will give it their support. The important duties of His Majesty's Opposition, therefore, will fall for the first time officially to Labour's lot. It has been elected to take the old place of the Radicals in the House of Commons.

Labour now is invested with a very serious responsibility; for a good Opposition is second in importance only to a good Government. How will it set about its task? In the old days nearly all the members of the Labour Party in the House of Commons were working men, with plenty of brains and energy, but extremely narrow in their outlook. The advent of the "black-coated" Labour man has changed all that. The new Labour Party in the House of Commons has a very strong element of intellectuals. It includes men like Mr. Sidney Webb, Mr. Philip Snowden and Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, as well as several ex-Army officers of high rank. If the whole party were composed of men of this type, the outlook would be very promising; but, unfortunately, there is another side to the picture. Scotland has sent some very curious representatives to Westminster. One gentleman, who will sit for the Motherwell division of Lanark, is a declared Communist of the most advanced type. Mr. Scrymgeour, who defeated Mr. Winston Churchill at Dundee, has been able to square his prohibitionist views with the programme of Mr. Arthur Henderson, while Mr. Morel, who shared his success, holds some very unorthodox ideas. These men, no doubt, will form a nucleus around which Scottish extremism will crystallise, and they will find active allies in members of the type of Mr. "Jack" Jones.

If the Labour Party wishes to grasp its opportunity, it must do two things. In the first place, it must formulate a definite policy. A *mélange* of false sentiments and cloudy ideals may pass muster as a policy while a party is totally free from responsibility, but it is useless as a practical programme. In the second place, Labour must get rid of its "cranks." The nation will have nothing to do with the wild-cat schemes which have brought Russia to ruin. It will not cease to be suspicious of Labour until they are disowned officially by the leaders of the party; and if Messrs. Clynes, Thomas, Webb and their friends are wise, they will push all their followers with Marxian bees in their bonnets quietly into the background. Then the way will be clear. An intelligent Opposition will act as a useful check on the Government, which, like every other Government, however good, will be the better for well-intentioned criticism. It will gain that experience in the affairs of State which is essential to any party that aspires to official rank, and in five, ten, or twenty years' time the country will be able to entrust its destinies without misgivings to Labour's keeping. The danger is, of course, that the extremists will jump into the saddle immediately and may try to turn the House of Commons into a Muscovite beargarden. Their success would be deplorable; but, if the responsible leaders assert their authority now, Labour will be saved from such humiliation.

School Attendance.

The problem of Irish education has many aspects, and that which Mr. Thomas O'Connell asked the Provisional Parliament to consider yesterday is not the least important. The average of attendance at the people's schools in Ireland is lamentably low—perhaps, the lowest in Europe. In England it is 89 *per cent.* of the school-roll, in Scotland 86 *per cent.*, in Japan, Germany and the United States 90 *per cent.* The Irish average is less than 69 *per cent.* As Mr. O'Connell puts it, 207,000 Irish children are absent from their lessons during every day of the school year. The fact is a national reproach and a national misfortune—a reproach because it implies a widespread evasion of the law; a misfortune because Irish children have more than a common need of education and more than common aptitudes for it. Compulsory attendance would be a real blessing at the present time, when the schools, like all other public institutions, are suffering from the national disorders, and the spirit of indiscipline and recklessness is prevalent throughout the land. The streets of Dublin are full to-day of children who are learning nothing except mischief and are drifting, *via* the easy arts of begging and peddling, into a manhood of ignorance and idleness. Mr. O'Connell's remedy is a drastic amendment of the compulsory clauses of the Education Act of 1892. He would make daily attendance at schools compulsory between the ages of six and fourteen, and would make the Dublin Metropolitan Police and the Civic Guard responsible for the duties of school attendance officers. Street-trading would be unlawful for children under the age of fourteen. Fines for breaches of the law would be increased from forty shillings to five pounds in the case of employers and from five shillings to forty shillings in the case of parents. After a third fine a wayward child might be committed to an industrial or reformatory school. Parliament sympathised with Mr. O'Connell's proposals; but it regarded them as premature, and his resolution was adopted in the shape of a strong expression of opinion that the Act ought to be strengthened at the earliest opportunity. The members were influenced by the speeches of Ministers, who had raised at least two objections to immediate action. It was suggested, in the first place, that a sudden improvement in attendance might over-tax the accommodation of the schools, and, in the next, that the sudden stoppage of juvenile street-trading would aggravate the hardships of the poor. If the Government waits, however, until more schools have been built and until unemployment no longer exists in Dublin and other cities and towns, the problem of school attendance will not be tackled in the life-time of the Provisional Parliament. Surely something could be done in the cities during the coming winter to fill the schools' empty benches and to reduce the evils of juvenile begging and street-trading? The argument of hardship might be met by an effort to provide out of national or local funds a daily meal for really poor children who should satisfy a certain standard of attendance at the schools.

Auto-Suggestion.

The ancient formula of protruding a tell-tale tongue and the impressive ritual of thumping the thorax have been abandoned by the apostles of auto-suggestion. "Is the pain better?" Dr. Coué inquires. One replies—preferably in French, a language in which auto-suggestion of a more penetrating character is possible than in the cold Saxon tongue—that the pain is not better, that one continues to suffer, in effect, the tortures of the damned. "*Hélas!*" the good doctor cries, "but a little doubt has crept in somewhere. It is positively necessary to auto-suggest in a spirit of all-conquering certitude." So one goes home and tries again, and if, as is more likely, the indigestion passes away, one becomes better. If not, there is still Dr. Coué's clinique at Camden House Court, London, where one can suggest the radiant glow of health into one's fibres under the all-conquering eye of the good doctor himself. The difficulty of operating such an establishment is the diversity of ills which the presiding genius is called upon to relieve. At the London clinique an adherent of the cult recently applied for "a calmer and more hopeful outlook on life." Here, one would say, is a case in which the apostle of auto-suggestion would feel particularly at home. It is also, strangely enough, a case which the old-fashioned practitioner will undertake to cure with absolute certainty. One can assure oneself that every moment one is getting better and better, noticeably calmer and essentially more hopeful, or one can take two pills and an aspirin tablet at bedtime and wake up the next morning feeling that one has the world by the tail.

Chrysanthemums.

Nature's chrysanthemum—or, at any rate, man's chrysanthemum before bigness rather than beauty became his ideal—is a most attractive plant. It is ready to do its best in the most intractable soil and in defiance of the most uncompromising elements. Not with these modest and patient groundlings, however, do we associate the arrival of winter, but with the floral mammoths—three six-foot stems surmounted by a like number of titanic pom-poms—that are the pride alike of the amateur and the professional gardener. These Goliath "mums," as the trade hideously calls them, really are quite easy of growth by any unnatural monster who is prepared to prune away shoot and bud, and even leaf, with unsparing knife. It may be, as whispered, that gardeners sit up all night combing and marcel-waving the petals of the National Chrysanthemum Society's prize-winners; but reasonably monstrous results can be attained without such fostering care. The development of the chrysanthemum was begun by the Japanese many decades ago and is still an almost religious cult in Nippon. The people of the Flowery Kingdom, however, did not lose their delicate sense of form and colour, or strive, as British growers strive, for sheer bulk. With us also the love of the natural and the beautiful will return in time and will exact more pleasing standards. Then the chrysanthemum will acquire among the people a seasonable and sentimental value which it does not possess at the present time.

"THE IRISH TIMES."

We have received several complaints from subscribers to the "Irish Times" of the irregular postal delivery of their papers. We have been assured, however, by the officials concerned, that the utmost despatch is being exercised in the reorganisation of these services.

TWO NEW LONDON PLAYS.

"DEVIL DICK" AT THE APOLLO.

(BY OUR DRAMATIC CRITIC.)

LONDON, Thursday.

"Devil Dick," which has been produced at the Apollo Theatre, is one of the many "crook" dramas which have come from America, and the author, Mr. A. Schoner, has written an excellent character study for Mr. Maurice Moscovitch. How the actor revels in it! He runs the gamut of emotion from sheer brutality to the sentimental limit, from deep untutored feeling to irrepressible comicality.

The play itself is in a prologue and three acts, and the prologue is not the least important, for it has a somewhat original turn in representing a meeting of social reformers, who appeal to the audience for support and opinions. But it was somewhat disconcerting to find the man sitting in the next seat was a member of the cast.

At this meeting there is an argument as to whether a hardened criminal can be reformed, and there is a wager between a doctor and a millionaire-philanthropist, who chose as the subject for reformation "Devil Dick," a notorious criminal.

And "Devil Dick's" reform, his sensational lapse, and ultimate final victory over his lesser self, forms the basis of the play.

The play as a medium for Mr. Moscovitch's undoubted talent is entertaining enough, and should prove interesting to London playgoers, provided some of the "sob stuff" is cut out. As it stands the play abounds in the sloppiest sentiment, which if attempted by a lesser actor than Mr. Moscovitch would be simply ludicrous.

All the cast acted their parts well, particularly Miss Mary Merrall as the criminal's "lady friend," and Mr. Michael Sherbrooke as a rent collector. Miss Muriel Pratt's deserted wife was a very effective piece of acting, and was an effective foil to Mr. Moscovitch's exuberance.

"THE LAUGHING LADY."

Last night, at the Globe Theatre, Mr. Alfred Sutro's new comedy, "The Laughing Lady," was presented by Miss Lohr, who herself played the title rôle. This play is remarkable for having three theatrical stars in the cast.—Miss Lohr, Miss Violet Vanbrugh, and Mr. Godfrey Tearle—and the remainder of the company is by no means negligible, for it included Misses Edith Evans and Henrietta Watson, and Messrs. Herbert Ross, Brian Gilmour, and Julian Royce.

Such a powerful cast would redeem the weakest of plays, and in a brilliant comedy, like Mr. Sutro's new one, it is a sure guarantee of success.

Apart from the wit and the excellent craftmanship in handling his characters, the author displays a deep wisdom and sympathy with human nature.

The story deals with a young woman, who, meeting by accident at a dinner party, the K.C. who has that very afternoon subjected her to a most severe gruelling in the Divorce Court, falls in love with him and he with her. The next afternoon she encounters one ordeal after another. First, the husband, realising he has divorced his wife wrongly, calls just in time to deal with a modern Don Juan, who has been making the lady an interesting offer.

As she is refusing his plea to be taken back, the K.C. calls, and, after promising to plead the husband's cause, pleads his own with excellent effect.

The next afternoon, the poor young woman, after two hours of pleading with a forlorn husband (which takes place "off," to our relief), is called on first by an elderly friend (who urges his forgiveness), and then by the K.C.'s wife, a woman of extraordinary personality, who offers to hand over her husband, provided the divorced one does not spoil him.

Finally, the K.C. calls again, but by this time the young woman, realising that she cannot spoil things for her elderly lawyer-lover, has decided to have her husband back after all.

Miss Lohr took the part of the divorced young woman, Lady Marjorie, and her interpretation of the lady who would laugh—no matter what her difficulties—was noticeable for its fine delicate shading, and her poise and gesture were admirable throughout.

Mr. Godfrey Tearle's part as the K.C., who finds himself at fifty in love for the first time, was consistently well acted, but the character was not strong.

Miss Edith Evans's rendering of a lady friend was a clever bit of comedy. Miss Henrietta Watson and Mr. Herbert Ross acted with pleasant dignity the parts of old friends of Lady Marjorie, and Miss Violet Vanbrugh put remarkable power in her small, but not unimportant, part of the K.C.'s wife. She showed great skill in her quiet, effective restraint, and every word told. "The Laughing Lady" is a brilliant play, brilliantly acted. A.K.S.

"MACBETH."

ITS IMPORTANCE AS TRAGEDY

That Shakespeare was a great preacher, and that all his tragedies breathed the one text—"Be sure your sin will find you out"—was stated by Mr. Bernard Shillman, who lectured on "The Play of Macbeth: Its Importance as Tragedy," at a meeting of the Dublin Branch of the British Empire Shakespeare Society, which was presided over by Major Whewell, in the Molesworth Hall, Dublin.

Shakespearian tragedy, the lecturer stated, dealt largely with the question of crime and its punishment. But punishment with Shakespeare did not always emanate from a lawfully-constituted authority. Sometimes it took the form of retribution or Nemesis. In the case of "Macbeth" the punishment was not death, but remorse. Macbeth sinned when he partook of the tree of knowledge from a triunal devil, the witches; and from the moment that they ate of it he and Lady Macbeth became restless and unhappy. Paradise was lost to them. And because Shakespeare in this play took for his theme the very genesis of sin, "Macbeth" was the greatest tragedy of the English Renaissance. It is a mystery, a miracle, and a morality play all in one.

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The lecturer summarised the development of tragedy from its origin as Thespian lyrics or dithyrambs to its perfection by Aeschylus, Sophocles, and Euripides in Greece, and Seneca in Rome. In England, he said, it began as mystery and miracle plays in mediæval times, and did not reach its maturity until the time of Marlowe and Shakespeare.

The construction of the play of "Macbeth" showed a well-marked tripartite division of plot, which was one of the rules laid down by Aristotle for dramatic construction. There was a beginning, a middle, and an ending to the action of the play. The first scene of "Macbeth," which discovered the three weird sisters, constituted one of the best openings for tragedy in the whole range of the drama: the climax or crisis of the action—*i.e.*, the murder of Banquo—was reached in the central scene of the central act; and the ending—the deaths of Lady Macbeth and Macbeth—constituted supreme tragedy.

The rapidity of the action of the play of "Macbeth," and the rigid eschewal of comic relief, showed the classical influence of Seneca; while the aggrandisement of the central characters—Macbeth and Lady Macbeth—at the expense of all the other characters in the play, showed the influence of Marlowe.

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Finally, the lecturer described the methods adopted by Shakespeare to make the play of "Macbeth" intensely tragic. The whole play is bespattered with blood. "Hamlet" was said to be the tragedy of blood; but "Macbeth" was even more so. The very hands of the two principal characters, Macbeth and Lady Macbeth, were incarnadined with blood. "Blood will have blood," that cry of Macbeth, resounds through the play. Again, the *mise en scène* of the play is unshrouded in a lurid gloom and a murky atmosphere; there is scarcely a ray of sunshine in the whole play.

Then, again, in "Macbeth," Shakespeare introduces the supernatural under various guises. There are weird sisters, sorceresses, Hecate, a blood-boltered ghost of Banquo, and spirits of Scotch kings. Even the human beings in the play are unnatural. Macbeth is exceedingly imaginative, and almost suffers hallucinations. Lady Macbeth has nightmares, and Macduff was "from his mother's womb untimely ripped." No other tragedy in the whole gamut of the drama contained such a galaxy of unnatural persons.

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Other speakers were:—Mr. Francis Homan, Rev. H. M. Harris, Mr. M. D. Collins, Mr. W. Young, and Dr. Trench.

Songs and recitals were contributed by Miss Edith Mirellson, Mr. Collins, Mrs. Hanna, Miss Eileen Daly, Miss Eileen Griffin, and Mr. Victor Harris.

WAGNERIAN OPERA.

CARL ROSA'S EXCELLENT "LOHENGRIN."

Wagner opera alone satisfies the modern senses with their craving for the colossal, and yet the infinitesimal. Wagner's music is the pæan of the 19th century, the era of material progress, and his style is emblazoned with material increase.

What could remind one more forcibly of the pomp and circumstance of humanity than the exaggerated brass effects of "Lohengrin"? What a contrast to the lean and hungry days of disillusionment through which the world is passing, yet Wagner's music is still a gospel to the world, and people crave for it insistently. The reason is that never did men so long for some form of mysticism that would lift them above the world.

In "Lohengrin" it is the subtle light brush effects that move one, not the blare of trumpets. Yesterday evening's performance by the Carl Rosa Opera Company at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, was extremely interesting on account of those inner beauties of the score which were revealed by Mr. Cuthbert Hawley, the conductor. The orchestra and chorus were small, yet Mr. Hawley seemed to inspire them, and the result was a very vigorous interpretation of the work.

Of the three acts, the second was the most successfully performed, both by choir and orchestra. In the gloomy foreboding suggested by the phrases and the gradual *crescendi* to climaxes it seemed far ahead of the rest of the work.

Miss Ethel Austen made a very charming Elsa—not the conventional "die-away" Elsa, but a passionate personality, whose love, not her curiosity, made her ask Lohengrin his name.

In the second act Elsa has a difficult part to play, for Ortrud, by her noble fury, rules the stage, and there is nothing to do but act as a contrast.

Mr. Gwynne Davies, as Lohengrin, has a voice very well suited to the mystical parts; his singing of the Swan and the Montsalvat songs was very beautiful, and suggested the interpretations that are associated with Mr. John Coates. He is not so successful as the warrior, and his actions and fighting powers were rather stiff.

Miss Cohalance Willis made an excellent Ortrud; her acting was one of the features of the performance, and was according to the true Wagner tradition.

Mr. William Aspen sang well, though Telramund has not much of a say in anything on account of his virago wife.

Mr. Henry Hardy sang with taste the difficult music of King Henry the Fowler, and Mr. Trevor Evans made the most of the Herald's part.

The chief credit of the performance goes to that hardy Wagnerite, Mr. Hawley, who is full of the Bayreuth traditions, which he has followed since the age of 18.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Princess Marie Louise, who has been visiting Sir Archibald and Lady Weigall and Mr. and Mrs. Saxton Noble, has returned to her London residence. The Marchioness of Carisbrooke, who has been staying with her mother, the Countess of Londesborough, at Blankney Hall, has returned to London. The Marchioness of Londonderry has returned to Mount Stewart from London, where her father, Viscount Chaplin, will remain for a while to complete his convalescence.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Anglesey will remain in London until the end of the year. Lady Mabel Hamilton Stubber, who spent the autumn with her relations in England, has joined Major Hamilton Stubber at Moyne, Durrow. The Bishop of Meath will officiate at the wedding of his nephew, Lord Plunket, with Mrs. J. Barnato at Denham, on Monday next.

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Recent departures from England include Lord Rossmore, who has left for Canada; Lord Romilly will be a passenger on the Mauretania, which sails to-day for New York; the Duc d'Orleans has left London for Brussels; Mr. and the Hon. Mrs. Daniell have sailed for South Africa; Lady Michelham has gone to Folkestone, *en route* for St. Germain-en-Laye.

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Viscount Galway, who to-day celebrates his seventy-eighth birthday, is the direct descendant of John Monckton, M.P., for Pontefract, on whom an Irish peerage was conferred in 1727. He held for some time the appointment of Receiver-General of Revenue in Ireland. The present peer, who succeeded his father in 1876, was given the United Kingdom title of Baron Monckton in 1887. The heir is his only son, Major the Hon. George Vere Arundel, D.S.O., 1st Life Guards, and his only daughter is married to Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. J. Skeffington-Smyth, D.S.O.

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Major-General Sir George E. Pereira, K.C.B., started some time ago to walk across Asia. Starting from the Chinese coast he went *via* Peking to Lhasa, and left a few days ago for Gandtok (on the Indian frontier), where he is expected to arrive to-morrow. Sir George Pereira was attached to the Japanese Army in the Russ

FOUR EXECUTIONS IN DUBLIN.

"GOVERNMENT WILL RESTORE ORDER OR ABDICATE."

MINISTERS' STATEMENTS.

STERN MEASURES TO PREVENT ACTS OF LAWLESSNESS.

Four executions under the law passed by the Provisional Parliament empowering military courts to pass the death sentence on persons found in the unlawful possession of firearms took place in Dublin yesterday.

When the matter was raised in the Provisional Parliament yesterday the Government's spokesman explained the circumstances in which the men were condemned to death.

They had been caught, General Mulcahy said, lurking in the streets at night, with revolvers in their pockets, intent on murder. At their trial they were given opportunities to secure legal aid and to call witnesses.

Mr. O'Higgins declared that the time had come—and ample warning had been given—when the sternest measures must be taken to suppress lawlessness. The life and honour of the country were at stake They were worth the lives of a great many individuals, and after grave consultation the Government had decided that, if necessary, the lives of a great many individuals would be taken.

The alternative to this policy was for the Government to abdicate.

The following is the text of the official statement:—

JAMES FISHER, a civilian, of Echlin street, Dublin, was charged, at a Military Court held upon the 8th day of November, 1922, with having, on October 23rd, possession, without proper authority, of a revolver. He was found guilty and sentenced to death. The finding and sentence of the Court were confirmed. The sentence was duly carried out this morning at 7 o'clock.

PETER CASSIDY (7 Usher's quay, Dublin) was, at a Military Court held upon the 9th November, 1922, charged with having possession, without proper authority, of a revolver upon the 27th October, 1922. He was found guilty of the charge and sentenced to death. The finding and sentence of the Court were confirmed. The sentence was duly carried out this morning at 7 o'clock.

The Irish Times understands that the executions, by shooting, were carried out at Kilmainham Prison.

A reporter, who called at the house of James Fisher, was informed that Fisher was arrested about the 23rd October and taken to Wellington Barracks. He was one of a family of five, and had been employed for some time at Ruddell's Cigarette Factory in James's street. He was aged about 18.

Richard Twohig, it was learned, was arrested in Catherine street on the same date as Fisher. Aged about 21 years, he was employed at the Inchicore Works on the Great Southern and Western Railway. His father was killed in the European War. Twohig was first detained at Wellington Barracks, but was later removed to Kilmainham.

John Gaffney, it was stated, was arrested on the night of the 28th October in the neighbourhood of Thomas street, and was removed to Wellington Barracks. On the day of his arrest he had been at work in the Electric Lighting Department of the Dublin Corporation Returning home about 7.30 p.m., he was arrested nearly two hours later. His father's house was searched by troops on the same night. He was aged 21.

Peter Cassidy, aged 21, was also employed in the Electric Lighting Department of the Corporation His parents live at Usher street.

RICHARD TWOHIG, 1 Connor's Buildings (off James's street Harbour), was, at a Military Court held upon the 8th day of November, 1922, charged with having possession, without proper authority, of a revolver upon the 23rd October, 1922. He was found guilty of the charge and sentenced to death. The finding and sentence of the Court were confirmed. The sentence was duly carried out this morning at 7 o'clock.

JOHN GAFFNEY (3 Usher's quay, Dublin) was, at a Military Court held upon the 9th of November, 1922, charged with having possession, without proper authority, of a revolver upon the 27th of October, 1922. He was found guilty of the charge and sentenced to death. The finding and sentence of the Court were duly confirmed. The sentence was duly executed this morning at 7 o'clock.

THE NATION'S LIFE AND HONOUR AT STAKE.

IF NECESSARY MANY LIVES WILL BE TAKEN.

The question of the four executions was raised in the Provisional Parliament yesterday on the motion for the adjournment.

Mr. Johnson said that it was something of a shock that he read that these men had been executed under the authorisation which the House gave to the military courts some time ago.

According to the official announcement the offence was the possession without proper authority of a revolver. He raised the question in the hope that they would have some more satisfactory explanation. They knew the circumstances of the country and the arguments which were adduced when they were asked to give authority for the setting up of military courts. They knew of the many cases of depredation, destruction, and murder, and one of the offences set out in the orders was looting, arson, destruction, seizure, unlawful possession, and damage to private property.

The third offence was that of having possession of a revolver without authority.

It was two months nearly since these orders were passed, and the first intimation they got of the trial and sentence of any person under these military courts was the announcement of the execution of these four men.

That announcement was given in a bald way, and unless there was some fuller explanation given he prophesied a very deep revulsion of feeling against the Army and the Government. He could not believe that the announcement stated the facts which would justify the executions.

The possession of a revolver did not justify execution. They had a right to ask whether these men were legally represented.

It was lamentable that the announcement of the execution should go out in that bald form as if they were merely recording the arrival of a visitor from some other country in the Official Gazette.

It was not just to the country, it was not fair to the expectations of the people, and it was not fair to Parliament that the mere statement of a bald character that four men had been tried, found guilty, and executed for the possession of revolvers was all the information given, and unless they had some fuller explanation of the circumstances the authorities responsible would not be able to justify their action before the public.

GENERAL MULCAHY.

THE GOVERNMENT'S "SIMPLE CASE."

General Mulcahy (Minister of Defence) said —Anything that will shock the country into a realisation of what a grave thing it is to take human life is justified at the moment. The news of the executions in Dublin this morning, no doubt, will shock people, but it is a shock to us, and we regret that we have to face the responsibilities of dealing with a situation which calls for measures as plain and as drastic as these.

The men who were executed this morning were found in the streets of Dublin at night carrying loaded revolvers, and waiting to take the lives of other men. And that is the simple case that we have to put before the country for taking the action in accordance with the recommendations that were made here —that it was necessary to take such action as that.

It was because these men were found under such circumstances, and with such intent, that it was necessary to execute them this morning.

It is the old story: "Blood will suffer, blood to die hungry; but blood will not suffer blood to be spilt."

We have got to the stage here in Ireland that we will suffer blood to be spilt if it is spilt hotly, and we find now we are shocked if blood has to be spilt in cold blood.

We are faced with eradicating from the country the state of affairs in which hundreds of men go around, day by day and night by night, to take the lives of other men. We have people in the country proclaiming that their aim and their object is the unity of Ireland, and the way they do that is to put arms into the hands of young and middle-aged men and send them out to take the lives of other Irishmen.

There are people in the country whose aim is to bring the English back, and they take the same line of action. There are people in the country who have undertaken this, and their way to settle the difficulty of land acquisition in Ireland is, as shown in the letters sent to subordinate officers, to give the man who has it the bullet.

RETROSPECT.

We have lost during the last three, four, or five years comrades that were very dear to us, and citizens of our country.

Take your minds back to November or December, 1920, or any other months in which we were losing the Kevin Barrys, Turlough MacSwineys, Dick McKees, and others, and see what was the kernel of the strength that our country then had to face, the struggle she was maintaining, and the holding together of the small machinery that was pitting itself against England then, and ask yourselves if the people who shouldered the responsibility had more justification for losing our Kevin Barrys and Dick McKees in an effort to save and release our people from bondage at that time than we have now for endeavouring to save our country from the dangers that can very easily envelop it from outside and inside.

People have to be shocked, and people have to take stern measures, and we are absolutely convinced as a Government that, unless we take and deal in the strongest possible way with those people who traverse our streets at night shooting our people, and going round the country night and day wrecking railways, robbing the people, taking their lives, destroying the whole fabric of industry and society in the country—unless we take very stern measures we will not throw back the tide of lawlessness, lust and loot that some mad political leaders have stirred up in their train after them in this country.

The situation in which these actions are taken is known to every person here and thoroughly realised by every person in the country. And every one who goes round with a loaded revolver in his pocket in the street seeking to take the lives of other men must be made to face the fact that, by doing so, he forfeits his own life. (Applause.)

QUESTION OF LEGAL AID.

Alderman William O'Brien said that Mr. Johnson dealt particularly with the bald announcement that the men were executed for having possession of revolvers. No particulars of any kind were given in addition to that fact. The statement that the Minister for Defence had made should have been made at the time of this awful announcement.

Mr. Lyons said that these men should have had a public trial, and should have been allowed proper legal aid.

They had been told nothing about these charges, and the Minister had not stated whether the men charged were allowed to get legal aid or to call witnesses. The House expected a more solid statement from him than he had given. He (Mr. Lyons) challenged the Ministry to give a straightforward answer whether the men were allowed the aid of a solicitor.

NOT VINDICTIVE.

DETERRENT PUNISHMENT.

Mr. O'Higgins, Minister for Home Affairs, said that they should consider the end in view when the State or the Government, acting in the name of the people, took such action. They should consider whether punishment was vindictive or deterrent in its object. This particular punishment was not vindictive. Somehow the capital punishment would be strikingly futile if it were merely vindictive in its object. It would defeat its own end.

That morning's punishment was deterrent, and it was taken because it was necessary to take action of that kind if the nation were to live.

It was taken in the hope of deterring those who were killing the nation. The nation's life was worth the lives of many individuals. If these were merely average cases, it might, perhaps, have been because it was better at first to take average cases—to take cases which had no particular facts about them to distinguish them from the cases of thousands all over the country, who were bleeding the nation to death.

If they took as their first case some man who was outstandingly active and outstandingly wicked in his activities, the unfortunate dopes throughout the country

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MR. ERSKINE CHILDERS.

SCENES AT TRIAL.

COUNSEL FOR DEFENCE WITHDRAW.

Mr. Erskine Childers was yesterday placed on trial by a Military Court of the National Army at Portobello Barracks.

The proceedings, which were opened at 11.30 a.m., were closed to the Press and the public.

It is learned, however, that the only charge put forward by the prosecution was that of unlawful possession of a Colt automatic pistol, which, according to an official report issued at the time, was found on Mr. Childers when he was arrested on the 10th inst. at the house of Mr. Robert Barton, his cousin, at Roundwood, Co. Wicklow.

There was considerable military activity in the neighbourhood of the barracks during the morning, but no demonstration of any kind took place.

Counsel engaged for the defence were Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C.; Mr. Michael Comyn, K.C., and Mr. Conor Maguire (instructed by Mr. Sean O h-Uadhaigh).

No information as to the *personnel* of the tribunal has been obtained, but it is stated that the Court was composed of two officers of high rank and a legal member.

After the opening addresses had been delivered by senior counsel for the defence, a statement of objections (seven in all) was handed in.

After the adjournment another statement in Mr. Childers's handwriting was handed in. This document claimed belligerent *status* for Mr. Childers as "an officer of the Irish Republican Army," taken in war.

On the Court resuming, it is stated that it was announced that the objections lodged had been over-ruled.

Counsel then submitted a further statement, in which it was contended that under resolutions of the International Red Cross civil war political prisoners were entitled to "prisoner of war treatment."

Counsel for the defence, it is stated, then withdrew, declining to take any further part in the proceedings.

Following their withdrawal, the trial of Mr. Childers was resumed, and had not, it is learned, concluded when the Court rose in the evening.

MR. DE VALERA AND MR. CHILDERS.

Mr. de Valera has issued an appeal to the people of Ireland, on behalf of Mr. Erskine Childers, whom he describes as "a faithful servant and a loyal son."

NEW PROHIBITION FIGHT

U.S. "WETS" ORGANISING A CAMPAIGN.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

WASHINGTON, Friday.

The "Wets" are preparing to inject the prohibition issue into the extra session of Congress, which President Harding has called for Monday next, to consider the Ship Subsidy Bill.

The "wet" leaders, who have already arrived here for the session, assert that the modification of the Volstead Law will certainly be demanded. While they realise that the present Congress is decidedly "dry," they expect to gain many adherents preparatory to the election fights in 1924. The anti-prohibitionists talk of continuing the fight for light wines and beer at every opportunity during the extra session and regular sessions of the new Congress, hoping by a show of strength to win over the Democratic Party to platform utterance in favour of wines and beer in 1924.

Part of the programme includes the expectation of the Democratic candidate for the Presidential election being a mild "wet." The "wets" are much encouraged by the letter of President Harding to Mrs Corrine Robinson regarding prohibition, which was read before the New York Republican Women's Club. President Harding is a "dry," and voted for the Volstead Act and its enforcement, but he is not a fanatic on the subject

The "wets" do not claim that the President will openly back their fight for light wines and beer, but they expect that there will be no opposition from that quarter. The present Congress is dry by a huge majority. The next one, it is considered, will be safe for the "drys" also.

MISS CISSIE LOFTUS.

VICTIM OF DRUG HABIT; TO GO INTO A HOME.

Miss Cissie Loftus, the well-known actress, made her second appearance at the Marlborough street Police Court, London, yesterday, on a charge of having tubes of morphine and atrophine unlawfully in her possession.

Mr. Muskett, prosecuting, said that it was pathetic to contemplate that this lady, who had delighted many thousands of playgoers, should now be in the dock charged with an offence of great gravity.

He described how a detective inspector had arrested Miss Loftus after she had visited a shop in Tottenham Court road. She had in her possession four tubes of drugs in tablet form, hypodermic needles, etc.

Some of these articles she had endeavoured to hide. She gave her address as the Hotel Cecil.

The defendant was placed on probation for twelve months on condition that she would go into a home for that period under the care of her friends.

SOUTHERN IRISH SENATE.

THE CORK NOMINEES.

For seats in the Southern Irish Senate, the Cork Chamber of Commerce recommend Messrs. A. F. Sharman Crawford, W. T. Green, Maurice Healy, solicitor; and J. C. Dowdall.

Mr. Sharman Crawford is a member of the firm of Cork brewers—Beamish and Crawford. He is prominently identified with technical education, gave a site free for the Cork Technical Schools, which were opened in 1912, and has been for years Vice-Chairman of the Borough Technical Instruction Committee.

Mr. W. T. Green is a large corn merchant, and has been for years a Harbour Commissioner.

Mr. Maurice Healy, solicitor, is the ex-M.P. for Cork City, and a brother of Mr. T. M. Healy, K.C.

Mr. J. C. Dowdall is a director of the margarine manufacturers and butter merchants, Dowdall and O'Mahony, and was a member of the Shaw Commission nominated by the Irish Government.

DISREGARDING THE RED CROSS.

The following official report was issued from the National Army Headquarters yesterday:—

"Mr. Humphrey Murphy, leader of the irregulars in Kerry, in a letter addressed to the G.O.C. in the Kerry area, intimates that the irregulars under his leadership will no longer respect the Red Cross. 'From the 20th inst.,' Mr. Murphy states in his letter, 'all Red Cross cars will be treated as armoured cars.'"

FORMER U.S. AMBASSADOR DEAD

The death is announced at Elyria, Ohio, yesterday, of Mr. William G. Sharp, a former United States Ambassador to France.

THE LORD MAYOR OF DUBLIN.

The Lord Mayor (Alderman Laurence O'Neill) has left Dublin for a change by the orders of his medical adviser, Dr. C. M. O'Brien, 29 Merrion square, and has appointed Alderman Alfred Byrne, T.D., to act as his locum tenens during his absence from the city.

MR. KIPLING'S CONDITION.

Sir John Bland Sutton, in answer to an inquiry last night, stated that Mr. Rudyard Kipling's condition was satisfactory and hopeful.

PRIME MINISTER'S MESSAGE.

COUNTRY'S VOTE OF CONFIDENCE.

MORE RESULTS.

MR. G. B. SHAW ON THE ELECTIONS.

The country has passed a vote of confidence in the new Government. It will be our earnest endeavour to justify the trust which has been placed in us.

The above message was issued last night from No. 10 Downing street by Mr. Bonar Law.

The Political Correspondent of the Central News says:—

An interesting, but unconfirmed, rumour last night assumed that Lord Robert Cecil may be invited to join the Government, possibly as the Minister of Health.

Lord Robert Cecil's attitude to the Government has been consistently friendly, his antipathies having been reserved for their predecessors.

The National Liberals in the new House will occupy the two front benches on the Opposition side, below the gangway. This will place Mr. Lloyd George in a much coveted corner seat, which has been occupied in the past by well-known members, such as Mr. Labouchere, Lord Hugh Cecil, and Mr. Horatio Bottomley.

The Independent Liberals will possibly sit on the benches behind the National Liberals, thus leaving the whole of the benches above the gangway, apart from the mixed front bench, for the accommodation of the Labour members.

The suggestion that Sir Ryland Adkins may retire from Middleton and Prestwich to provide Mr. Churchill with a seat is discredited.

The prevalent idea that Liberal members of both degrees will insensibly be welded together is not affected by the news that the Centre Party dream is being kept alive, and that Lord Birkenhead is to have rooms with Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Churchill at the extended offices of the National Liberals in Abingdon street.

Lord Birkenhead has not ceased to proclaim his adherence to the Conservative Party, though he is at the moment in the category of a brilliant statesman at a loose end.

The choice of a Chairman of the Parliamentary Labour Party is a matter of great importance, in view of the fact that Labour is the strongest Opposition Party. This is an honour that "goes round," and Mr. Clynes has been Chairman for two years.

The Party will meet as usual at the opening of Parliament to elect a Chairman. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald is a possible, in view of his gifts as a Parliamentarian.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor will propose the appointment of Mr. Whitley as Speaker when the Speakerless House of Commons meets on Monday.

LAST ULSTER RESULTS.

FERMANAGH AND TYRONE.

The results of the Fermanagh and Tyrone election (two seats) were declared yesterday as follows:—

T. J. S. HARBISON (Nat.)	45,326
CAHIR HEALY (Sinn Fein)	44,817
J. A. Pringle (U.)	38,640
W. E. D. Allen (U.)	38,589
Nationalist and Sinn Fein majority	12,694

Speaking after the declaration of the poll, Mr. Harbison said that the fight had been fought cleanly, and without bitterness. He saw in the result an enquiry for an eventually united and happy Ireland.

SIR MALCOLM MACNAGHTEN CONGRATULATED.

Sir Malcolm Macnaghten, Unionist member for Londonderry, has received a large number of congratulatory telegrams, including the following from Sir James Craig, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland:—

"Warmest congratulations on your historic victory, which proves to the whole world that Londonderry stands as firm as ever in its traditional loyalty to the Union with the United Kingdom."

Captain Dixon, M.P., telegraphed:—"Well done, Derry."

The following election results were declared yesterday:—

INVERNESS, Western Isles (L. 390)	
Sir W. D. MITCHELL COTTS (N.L.)	6,177
Dr. Murray (L.)	5,238
Majority	939
NAT. LIB. VICTORY.	
DERBYSHIRE, North-Eastern.	
SEVENTH RE-COUNT.	
F. LEE (Lab.)	9,357
*J. S. Holmes (L.)	9,552
Capt. C. Waterhouse (C.)	8,879
Majority	5
LAB. VICTORY.	
CAITHNESS AND SUTHERLAND. (Co.L. 2,733)	
Sir A. SINCLAIR (N.L.)	7,715
*Sir R. L. Harmsworth (L.)	5,803
Majority	1,912
NO CHANGE.	
ARGYLL (Co.L. 4,689)	
Sir W. SUTHERLAND (N.L.)	9,848
H. Watt (Lc)	6,897
Majority	2,951
NO CHANGE.	

G.B.S. INTERVIEWED.

"What do you think of the election?"

When Mr. George Bernard Shaw was asked this question yesterday he replied in mock astonishment—"What election?"

Actually he has been following every move in the election with the closest interest, but he did not desire to comment at the moment on the result.

"I don't want to add my opinions," he said, "to those that will come from the great men. It is evident, however, that there has been a slight increase in the intelligence of the nation, because in 1918 not one of the candidates I supported got in. This time a fair proportion got in."

"What do you think of the voting by the women?" he was asked.

"What can one say about it?" replied Mr. Shaw. "Women, apparently, won't vote for women."

"Is it a bad thing?"

"I don't know. Perhaps they know most about them."

LABOUR LOOKING AHEAD.

"The results, generally speaking, quite realise our expectation," said Mr. Clynes yesterday. "Although in certain industrial centres, such as Birmingham and Bristol, victory has not been achieved, yet progress has been made, and our triumph in other centres is great, indeed.

"Discussion of the capital levy has gone far to compel the Government, at least, to think of an alternative method of dealing with the crushing burden of National Debt, for which something must be done. With the reinforcements we have now received, the Labour Party is ready to form a Government at any moment should circumstances call for it."

RAILWAY AMALGAMATION.

A special meeting of the proprietors and Debenture holders of the Great Central Railway Company was, in accordance with the Railway Act, 1921, held yesterday, when the amalgamation with other companies was agreed to.

A special general meeting of the proprietors and Debenture holders of the London and South-Western Railway Company was held yesterday. Approval was given for the fusion of the company with others in the Southern group, and for the absorption of several subsidiary companies.

A special meeting of the proprietors and Debenture Stockholders of the Great North of Scotland Railway Company, held at Aberdeen yesterday, approved of the scheme for the amalgamation with the North-Eastern, Great Eastern, Great Central, Great Northern, and North British Railway Companies. The new amalgamated company will be known as the London and North-Eastern Railway.

THE BOUNDARIES PROBLEM

NO COERCION OF SIX COUNTIES.

THE POSITION "QUITE CLEAR."

Mr. E. Duggan, one of the signatories to the Irish Treaty, and a Minister without portfolio in the Provisional Government, stated yesterday that he had noticed certain statements suggesting that the Free State would try to force the North-East under their Government and also suggesting that the Boundary Commission would not perform the functions for which it was agreed to in the Treaty—namely, the restoration of citizens unwillingly included in the jurisdiction of either Government to the Government of their choice.

"I consider such statements most ill-timed," continued Mr. Duggan. "They only add to the perplexity which exists in the public mind in these difficult times.

POSITION UNDER TREATY.

"It is wrong to suggest that the supporters of the Free State will try to force Ulster to come under their Government. It is Mr. de Valera's party who wish to carry their attack on the Irish people into Ulster. The position of the Government in relation to the portion of Ulster under the Belfast Government is made quite clear by the Treaty.

"The Treaty was entered into by and between persons fully empowered to effect the arrangements which it contains in a manner binding on all parts of Ireland and Great Britain. It has been set up by the mass of the Irish people as a solution to the political problems with which the country is faced. It has been opposed, not by constitutional means, but by an attempt to produce anarchy.

"I do not think it is too much to expect that every Irishman, North and South, who wishes to see ordered Government by consent prevail in his country should honour this pledge.

"It contains the only just arrangement possible under the circumstances—namely, that the Northern Government may, if it wishes, contract out of the Free State, and that should it do so a Commission shall be established to restore to the Government of their choice all Irish citizens who by the happening of this event have been removed from the Government to which they wish to give allegiance.

A NEW IRELAND.

"This contracting-out arrangement is not yet an accomplished fact. Until it has actually taken place I will continue to hope that wiser counsels may prevail, and that an honest effort to join in making the Treaty the basis of a new Ireland may be the first step towards the union we so much desire."

He did not consider that any other interpretation of Clause 12 possible.

The terms, he said, are explicit in themselves, and provide that if the Northern Government elect to contract out of the Free State "a Commission consisting of three persons, one to be appointed by the Government of the Irish Free State, one to be appointed by the Government of Northern Ireland, and one, who shall be Chairman, to be appointed by the British Government, shall determine, in accordance with the wishes of the inhabitants, so far as may be compatible with economic and geographic conditions, the boundaries between Northern Ireland and the rest of Ireland."

The principal signatories to the Treaty—British and Irish—have explained this Clause in the only sense in which it is intelligible. No doubt has ever existed as to its meaning.

UNTHINKABLE.

Regarding the effect on the Treaty position if the British, under pressure from the North Eastern Counties sought to vary the provisions of the Treaty as explained by their signatories, Mr. Duggan said that he considered such a course "unthinkable," as it would "constitute a breach of the Treaty which Mr. Bonar Law's Government have made it quite clear they intended to affirm."

RAND RIOTERS HANGED.

EXCITEMENT IN JOHANNESBURG.

A telegram from Pretoria states that the men, Lang, Hull, and Lewis, who were sentenced to death on charges arising out of the Rand rebellion, were executed there yesterday morning. It is reported that the prisoners sang the "Red Flag" when leaving their cells, upon which the other prisoners raised a wail, which was heard outside the prison.

At a very excited meeting, which was held outside the Johannesburg Town Hall on Thursday, a resolution was passed demanding the reprieve of Lang, Hull, and Lewis.

Someone discharged a revolver, and thereupon a section of the crowd savagely attacked a detective, who was shot, and cries of "hang him, string him up," were raised. The detective was eventually rescued from the clutches of his assailants; but his features were almost unrecognisable.

SHOOTINGS IN CAIRO.

LIBERAL PARTY LEADERS WOUNDED.

Several young natives approached Hassan Abdel Razek Pasha and Ismail Zourol Bey as they were leaving the offices of the newly-founded newspaper *Alistaoual*, after a meeting of the Liberal Constitutional Party in Cairo on Thursday night, and fired six shots, seriously wounding both men.

No arrests have been made.

U.S. VISITORS TO CORK.

AN EFFORT TO ESTABLISH TRADE WITH IRELAND.

Captain John O'Callaghan, New York Police Force, landed in Queenstown yesterday off the United States Line's steamer, President Van Buren. He has come to visit his native city of Cork, after 45 years' absence.

The same ship brought to Queenstown Mr. L. W. Hertz, of New York, who was responsible for the organisation of the Moore-McCormack steamship service from New York to Ireland. He has now severed his connection with the firm, and his present visit is, as he put it himself, to do something good for the trade between America and Ireland, which, he added, "will mean a big thing for your country." As the representative of H. E. Bridsted and Co., New York, who are big exporters and importers of oils and machinery, he is here to organise offices in Cork, Dublin, and other big centres.

MISS MARY MACSWINEY.

Miss Mary MacSwiney entered yesterday upon the fourteenth day of her hunger strike in Mountjoy Prison. She has issued a statement in which she declares that there will be no peace in Ireland so long as any man is ready to take the Oath of Allegiance. Miss MacSwiney's sister Annie, who has arrived in Dublin from Cork, complains that she has been refused admission to Mountjoy. As a protest she has declared a hunger strike outside the prison gates, where she is surrounded by a bodyguard of women.

Miss Annie MacSwiney also states that a hose-pipe was turned on her at 8.30 p.m., after she had been five and a half hours outside the prison. Towards ten o'clock last night about a hundred women and girls marched to the jail, outside which they recited the Rosary in Irish. Shortly afterwards the majority of them went away, but Miss MacSwiney remained, and at an early hour this morning was still there with a little group of women friends.

Germany's floating debt increased by 60,000 million marks in the first ten days of November to 663,000 million marks on November 10.

NO INTER-ALLIED DIFFICULTIES.

STATEMENT BY M. POINCARE.

NO FAITH IN GERMAN GOODWILL.

REPARATIONS MUST BE PAID.

Speaking in the French Chamber yesterday on France's home and foreign policy, M. Poincaré said:—On no question has serious difficulty arisen between our British Allies and ourselves. I am certain that an *entente* will be established between Great Britain, Italy, and France before the opening of the conference at Lausanne. I am equally certain that the same agreement will be realised at Brussels.

The Premier went on to describe the whole history of the negotiations regarding reparations, recalling the French insistence on guarantees if a moratorium were to be granted to Germany.

He returned from the London Conference empty-handed, but with his hands free. He did not, however, use this liberty because he preferred to take advantage of the instruments provided in the Treaty of Versailles.

Sir John Bradbury's latest proposals appeared to him unacceptable, because they showed too much confidence in the good-will of Germany. Germany was responsible for her own financial ruin. Whatever solution was adopted for the establishment of the financial equilibrium in Germany, France could only be a party to a solution recognising her as the principal creditor, and could only cede France's guarantees to creditors who would take her place.

EFFECTIVE GUARANTEES ESSENTIAL.

If a moratorium were accorded it could only be accorded against effective guarantees, and France would demand some of the German possessions mortgaged under the Treaty of Versailles.

France had given proof of great moderation and patience in the face of restoring her ruins, and she could at least hope that she would always receive the assistance of her Allies in the recovery of her percentage of reparations. France could no longer agree to the purely negative policy of the last British Cabinet.

M. Poincaré concluded—"Let us go to Brussels with the firm determination to see that justice is rendered to France."

When M. Poincaré sat down, M. Daudet rose and called on the Government to pursue a national, and not a Socialist, policy. This remark precipitated an altercation between the Socialists and M. Vidal, Under-Secretary of State, and the President suspended the sitting.

When the debate was resumed, M. Daudet went on with his speech, but, owing to the clamorous interruptions of the Socialists, he could not make himself heard, and the sitting was again suspended.

On the resumption, M. Poincaré intervened, and moved that the discussion on the interpellations be adjourned for a month, making the vote one of confidence in the Government.

The motion was carried by 462 votes to 77.

ITALY'S HOME POLICY.

THE NATIONALISATION OF PUBLIC SERVICES.

Signor Tangorra, the Minister of the Treasury, speaking in the Italian Chamber yesterday on the country's economic and financial problem, said that they must fight the deficit vigorously. "The economic problem must be dealt with by bestowing a new and simpler structure on the State. War pensions must be revised, charges on maritime trade restricted, and the problem of public and bureaucratic administration settled in a radical manner."

The transfer of the telephones to private enterprise was the commencement of a new policy in the matter of public undertakings. The Government proposed gradually to extend this policy to the railways, State-owned shipping, some of the onerous services of the postal department, and perhaps some institutions and departments of another kind.

Fiscal measures were necessary to procure fresh contributions to the Budget. The country must understand the general necessity of hastening the moment when Italy would enjoy abroad the position and credit that the setting in order of her finances would confer on her.

The taxation system must be simplified. Inequalities in the incidence of taxation introduced for political objects would be done away with.

NO CAPITAL LEVIES.

The Government was opposed to the gradual transfer of private wealth to State control by a system of extensive capital levies, and was firmly resolved not to resort on any ground to fresh issues of paper money.

As the result of an agreement with the Treasuries of Great Britain and the United States, the Italian Treasury hoped shortly to resume its former aspect. He had every confidence in the future.

There were scenes of disorder when Signor Turaki, the Socialist leader, rose to speak. He met with frequent interruption from Fascist Deputies, and when members of the Popular Party protested against the interruptions, Signor De Vecchi, a Fascist, jumped up and began to hurl abuse at them.

He was called to order by the President, but refused to obey, whereupon the President announced that he would resign.

ANTI-INDIAN SPIRIT.

BOMBAY PROTESTS AGAINST COLONIES' ATTITUDE.

Reuter's Bombay Correspondent telegraphs—The Bombay Corporation has passed a resolution urging that, in view of the unjust and humiliating treatment of Indians by the Governments of the Dominions and Crown Colonies, no municipal insurance or funds be placed with companies or banks registered in those colonies, and that no person born in them be employed by the municipality. The mover of the resolution declared that Mr. Sastri's tour in the Dominions had absolutely failed to bring Indians any relief.

A GAMBLERS' DEN

RAIDED BY LONDON POLICE.

Ten women and one man were arrested during a raid on a six-storey house in Granville place, off Portman square, London, occupied by Mrs. Ethel Blake, during Thursday night.

They were brought up at Marylebone Police Court yesterday, when Mrs. Blake was fined £50, with 10 guineas costs, for keeping the house for the purpose of unlawful gaming, and the others were bound over.

Describing the raid, Mr. Herbert Muskett stated that the game of Chemin de Fer was being played in the drawingroom on the ground floor.

Mrs. Blake said she was responsible. She was then sitting in front of the shoe, and was acting as croupier.

LADY HARTINGTON.

The Marchioness of Hartington, who gave premature birth to a daughter on Thursday at Chatsworth, is reported in a critical condition. The Marchioness accompanied her husband on a tour of West Derbyshire, for which he was the unsuccessful Conservative candidate on the polling day.

The Marchioness is a daughter of Lord Salisbury, and daughter-in-law of the Duke of Devonshire.

DEATH OF REV. W. BRAMELD.

The Rev. William Arthur Brameld, Prebendary of Lincoln Cathedral, died at his residence in Folkestone yesterday. He was at one time Vicar of Wortley, Leeds, and later of St. Stephen's, Lewisham.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

GOVERNMENT'S DUTY

TO GET ON WITH THE NEW ORK.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

Among the greatest assets of the Government is the existence of a strong Opposition. In the Labour Party and in the two Liberal groups there are enough men of character, and of what the late Lord Chancellor might condescend to recognise as "brains," to ensure that no Ministerial measure or proposal will escape vigorous criticism. The ensuing contest of wits and ideas should tend to broaden the political education of the people, many of whose present notions are either too nebulous or too one-sided.

The life of the new Parliament may be a period of transition in our political history, a period of sifting and weighing both of men and of doctrines, a testing time for our institutions, a process of assaying in which what is precious may be permanently distinguished from what is of minor value or base. This process will, we believe, go on as fruitfully within the Labour Party itself as in the minds of Conservatives and of Liberals. The country may begin to see in perspective the war and the revolution it wrought, and to understand to what extent any real transmutation of values has taken place. It will be at once a process of clearing up and of clarification, so that when next the country is appealed to no public man will need honestly to say that he does not know where he is, or to ask for support in his task of tidying up.

Mr. Bonar Law very wisely and very sincerely defined this as his immediate task. It is for the moment his principal task, and one which it will take him and his colleagues all their time to do. The more thoroughly and efficiently they do it the stronger will eventually be the gratitude of the country towards them. Their plain duty for the moment is to look neither to the right nor to the left, but to get on with the work in hand. This, if we read aright the Prime Minister's message to the country, is also his view.

FRONT OPPOSITION BENCH.

LABOUR PARTY MEETING.

The Times Labour Correspondent writes:—The Parliamentary Labour Party, now a substantial body, will hold a meeting at the House of Commons next week to elect a Chairman and to consider certain questions of procedure. It is practically certain that Mr. J. R. Clynes will again be asked to lead the party and that he will accept the position. He has had the chairmanship during two difficult years, in which the Labour group was singularly deficient in debating strength, and, as he retains the confidence of his colleagues and may again be expected to command the respect of the House, it is unlikely that he will be passed over.

Mr. Clynes, if he is elected, will carry heavier responsibility than rested on him in the last Parliament. His party, it is understood, will now press the point that they should be regarded as the "official" Opposition. The arrangements by which Labour and Liberals have shared the Front Opposition Bench is not regarded as satisfactory, and the Labour members hope that it will not be continued. The immediate policy of the party will not be determined until the King's Speech has been received, but the question which is regarded by Labour as of first importance is that of unemployment, and this will be raised at the earliest opportunity.

THE NEW AGE IN TURKEY.

FLIGHT OF THE CALIPH.

The Kemalists have come to Constantinople, and the Sultan has been compelled to seek safety in flight under British protection, remarks *The Times* in its editorial comments. A man well on in life, who had had little opportunity in a stormy world to exercise his authority and inherited power, he showed unexpected courage at the last, and maintained his traditional claims so long as he might in a city upon which the old atmosphere of dark conspiracy and assassination had begun heavily to brood. The ghosts of his brother Murad and his uncle Abdul Aziz disturbed the peace of Yildiz Kiosk, and the thought of Abdul Hamid brought no comfort.

Yesterday week the Sultan went down to the weekly Selamlik at the little mosque at Dolma Baghche, on the shore of the Golden Horn, and found that there was none so brave as to do him reverence. He was a lonely Sultan, in a cold and unintelligible world. New threats came from Angora, and on Wednesday night the Sultan wrote to General Harington. Yesterday morning a car drew up at a side entrance to the palace, and the Sultan, with his little son Ertogrul, bearing the name of an ancestor of the heroic age of the dynasty of Osman, was carried away to the harbour, and safely conveyed on board H.M.S. Malaya. The new age has come upon Turkey, and the Sultan has gone hastening to the West. The Caliph is a refugee and the descendant of Osman is a refugee. Whither is Turkey tending, and what ways will Islam now pursue?

"CALL NIGHT."

IRISH NAMES IN THE LIST.

Last night was "Call Night" at the Inns of Court, states *The Times*, and among the students who were called to the Bar were:—

Lincoln's Inn—B. C. Kar, Queen's University, Belfast, LL.B., and of Presidency College, Calcutta.

Middle Temple—Raj Krishen Bal, B.A., Punjab, LL.B., London and Belfast.

Gray's Inn—W. L. Sainsbury, Trinity College, Dublin, a member of the Bar in Ireland; J. A. Rearden, a member of the Bar in Ireland; H. J. Carvill, a member of the Bar in Ireland.

LONDON JEWEL RAID.

A jeweller and watchmaker, Mr. S. Tree, of Walworth road, London, S.E., was the victim of a carefully planned robbery, in which two men were concerned last night. While one of the men threw a brick through the plate glass window and snatched a tray of sapphires and diamonds, the other threw pepper into the eyes of passers by, who were thus prevented from interfering. Assistants rushed to the shop door, says the *Daily Mail*, but the thieves had vanished. The scene of the robbery is close to Carter street Police Station.

GOVERNMENT AND REPARATIONS.

The *Westminster Gazette* observes:—For the moment we may have to look to measures designed to palliate the suffering which unemployment would otherwise cause. The new Government, if it is to effect any improvement in trade, must strive for a genuine settlement of the questions of reparations and of international indebtedness. These obligations are like a colossal mortgage inherited from the past which strangles the initiative of industry in all countries, rendering the present arduous and the future dark and uncertain. The world needs to make as clean a cut as possible of its past errors and its paper debts.

CRANKING UP.

The *Daily Express* remarks:—The trade of the country and an Empire is like the engine of a motor car. The engine of British trade has grown cold, while it has stood still waiting for the initiative and enterprise and capital expenditure that will recapture for it the markets that it needs, and so bring back to productive labour the great, but steadily decreasing, army of unemployed. The new Government, with its policy of sane, steady Conservatism, is the cranking machinery. Public confidence, restored by the result of the General Election, will give it

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ight say that he was killed because he was a leader, because he was an Englishman, or because he combined with others to commit raids.

It was better, in his opinion, and wiser, and more calculated to achieve the deterrent object, to take a simple and plain ordinary case of a man who went out with arms to kill his fellow-Irishman, refusing to recognise the ordinary basic principle upon which civilised government rested everywhere; refusing to recognise the sovereignty of the majority will of the nation.

And let no man think that they took action that kind impetuously, vindictively, or in hot blood. The contrary stood proved. Since last December they coaxed, entreated, and compromised, and went beyond the safety line in compromise in the hope of averting the disaster of civil strife, and all the time the word on the lips of those against them was, "Is your Treaty worth civil war?"

THE BIG QUESTION.

There was something greater than the Treaty at stake here. The life of the Irish nation as a nation, and as a democratic organism—the whole question as to whether it was to be a nation in the future, governed by constitutional principles, or as to whether it was to be a mob, dictated to by an armed minority, was at stake.

There was a point beyond which they could not coax or compromise. A point came at which it became necessary to strike to save the life of the nation. And only then they struck.

They struck only when it was clear that there could be no peace; only when it was clear that when the political leader had gained his political advantage, his military associates were there to dishonour him by denying the price.

And then they struck, and even after striking they tried to wear those men out. They tried to show them the futility, the wantonness, and the waywardness of the whole thing; and they tried to conserve that fight with the minimum expenditure of human life on both sides.

And what had happened? Mr. de Valera, who stated with the words: "There is a constitutional method of settling these differences; in God's name let us not depart from them" had been busy tying more kettles to his tail. He had stated that the principles for which he stood were, by their very nature, irreducible and incapable of compromise.

Well, the nation must live. They had been elected as the Government. They had a tremendous responsibility, and if they failed to live up to it and act by it the children of Ireland in the future would rise up and curse them. That was one alternative to the policy that they were carrying out, and that was to abdicate and say to the British signatories of the Treaty that they were not able to carry it out, and let the country go down in dishonour and futility.

The life and honour of the nation were worth the lives of a good many individuals, and they, in grave consultation and in grave counsel, had decided that if it were necessary to take the lives of many individuals, then the lives of many individuals would be taken.

FACING THE FACTS.

TERRORISM AND ROBBERY RAMPANT.

Mr. Milroy said that no one in that House, he thought, was one iota less shocked or appalled at the tragic events of the day than the Deputy who opened that discussion.

"On this side of the House, I think," he continued, "we have been appalled much longer than Deputy Johnson, at least we have given utterance to the deep horror that we have felt at the slaughter, day after day, of the men who are trying to maintain the status of this country as a free nation."

Deputy Johnson had said that it was a shock to the country, and to him, and would be a shock to the country to read of these executions——

Mr. Johnson—The reasons that were given.

Mr. Milroy said that he shared the feelings of Deputy Johnson in that respect, but let him call the attention of Deputy Johnson and of the House to one instance which indicated, in some slight way the situation and the conditions which necessitated such stern measures. It was only within the last two days that a night watchman, going to his duty was "held up" by armed men, taken down one of the back streets of the city, robbed of the few shillings he possessed, then told to clear off, and a bullet was put through his back.

There was no question raised in that House by any Deputy about that, but surely the life of the poor watchman going to his work was as sacred as the life of any of the men executed that morning.

Mr. Johnson—Can any gentleman tell us was anyone in this House responsible for taking that life? Is there anyone whom we can bring to book for it?

Mr. Milroy said that he was not alleging that any Deputy was responsible for it, but he said that it was the conditions existing in the country that allowed such things to happen that made it necessary for the Government to bring to an end the rule which had been bringing a condition of terror and destruction upon the country.

THE OBJECT.

Let them understand what they were confronting. They were faced with a definite, deliberate, and avowed attempt to overthrow the Government set up by the Irish people; and the means employed to achieve that end were the destruction of the economic life of this country, the breaking of the *morale* of the people, midnight assassinations, the ambushing of National troops.

Ambushes had taken place and brave men had fallen at the hands of ambushers who, on putting up their hands, were taken away to some place of safety. Was it right that the Government should have to sit still while this went on day after day and month after month, and do nothing to prevent those who were trying to drag Ireland down this path to national destruction?

It was necessary that strong action should be taken. When Lieutenant Leonard was shot by some of these marauders no one in that House raised a voice to say that that was an appalling state of things.

Alderman O'Brien—Did you?

Mr. Milroy—No; but I raised my voice before against the conditions that enable these things to happen.

Alderman O'Brien—So did we.

Mr. Milroy said that he wished that the protests of the deputies opposite had been a little more articulate and a little more emphatic. They were faced with the fact that if they intended to defend the interests of this country; its rights; its liberties; its very existence, they must take measures adequate for that purpose.

They were there with the responsible task of safeguarding the nation. Were they doing that by allowing the men who formed the national Army to be assassinated with impunity? They were faced with the fact that what they were out against was not a movement of idealists—or, at least, if they were idealists, they were idealists who had become deranged—but a movement of men who had degenerated into anarchists.

Whatever compromise Ireland might make with any sane movement, that House, that national Government could have no compromise with anarchy; and he challenged any man in that House to get up and say that that Government ought to make a compromise with anarchy and try to conduct the government and the life of the nation at the bidding of a body of men who, whether they admitted that they were anarchists or not, were daily adopting the methods of anarchists.

PERTINENT QUESTION.

Mr. de Valera the other day said that if he had his way he, and those with him, would go down in utter defeat and extermination. If Mr. de Valera was adamant in that, what was the national Government to do?

Was it to accept that challenge? It meant that if those were Mr. de Valera's terms, that he did not go down in the manner he described, then he flouted their authority, and the Government of Ireland must do down in utter extermination and defeat.

It was to avert that, he took it, that the Government had taken the terrible and grave steps that it had taken. He regretted that the time should have ever arrived when this should have come to pass.

He had tried to adhere, in any controversy that had taken place, to those methods suggested by Mr. de Valera when he said, "There is a constitutional way of resolving our difficulties: let us not depart from it."

If this great tragedy that had happened that day brought home to the minds of those who failed to realise that the Irish nation was not going down in utter defeat and extermination, that their efforts were futile, and that if they had to argue out their difference with the national Government and with the Irish people they must argue it out in a constitutional way, then, perhaps, these tragedies might be the last of the sad and tragic events of the country.

Upon the heads of these people would rest the responsibility whether it was or was not the last of them. If they dropped their arms and recognised the right of the Irish people to be ruled according to the will of the Irish people, then, he believed, the tragedy of that morning might be the last.

Though it was, it might be the milestone that marked the return of the Irish nation as a whole back into the road of sanity.

He hoped that that would be the last occasion on which such a discussion would arise in that House, but he thought that the Government ought to understand that the national Parliament of Ireland should understand that they had behind them all Ireland, to a man, in all legitimate stands that they thought necessary to take to save Ireland from destruction and from the terrorism and the anarchy that had been hovering over it for the past few months.

THE TRIAL.

LEGAL AID AND WITNESSES.

Mr. Blythe, Minister of Local Government, said that he wished to correct the impression which some Deputies might have been labouring under in consequence of the remarks of Deputy Lyons.

The men who met their death this morning had a full opportunity of employing legal aid, and to call witnesses in their defence, and every person who would be tried would have the same opportunity.

No person would be executed except a person who deserved it.

The Government had come to the time when it was necessary to open a new chapter. From January till June they had tried to avoid any fighting whatever. From June till now the Government had been demonstrating that they could beat out of anywhere the people who were endeavouring to stop all Government. They were shown the futility of trying to prevent the will of the people of Ireland from prevailing.

Now, it became necessary to take all the measures that were necessary to bring the present state of things to the speediest possible close. Bloodshed would not be prevented by shirking stern measures.

There was so much demoralisation in the country that there was no such thing as a republican movement. There was a movement of anarchy, under the cloak of republicanism, a movement of criminals who were grabbing property that was not theirs, people who could not settle down to ordered life, and who desired to maintain a condition in which they hoped to avoid paying their debts.

There was a conspiracy of anarchy in the country, and that could be put down only as it was put down in other countries—namely, by taking the measures that were necessary, however stern those measures may be.

FULL RESPONSIBILITY.

He, and the other members of the Government, took the fullest responsibility for putting these men to death. He took as complete a responsibility as if he had passed the sentence and carried it, himself, into execution.

He was convinced that it was a just sentence.

It was no palliation of these men's crime that they had not already succeeded in shooting somebody. The Government had passed the stage when they could be guided in the conduct of affairs by any kind of sloppy sentimentality.

If a man carried a revolver in the street he knew that he carried it at his own risks, and with the intent to commit murder. Such a man must get the murderer's doom.

It was time that the Government and the House faced the facts. It was not good that indignation about killing should be expressed only when the Government took measures in defence of the Irish people, and not a word of mild disapproval when the like killing was done by people on the other side.

The whole point of the matter was put plainly by the Minister for Home Affairs.

Measures similar to those that were taken that morning would, he was afraid, have to be taken again, because on this stage he did not think that the execution of four persons would suffice. If such measures had been taken before, there might have been less blood shed.

From June till now every effort had been made to restrict loss of life. He believed that it was quite possible that that reluctance to take life might make it necessary to take more life now than would have been the case.

One way of avoiding unnecessary bloodshed was for all the people concerned to let it be known that they were determined not to shrink from whatever bloodshed may be necessary for the achievement of the object in view.

The nation was suffering from the effects of a deadly cancer, and the knife must be used to cut it out.

It would have been better if they had never asserted the rights of the majority of the Irish people if they were not prepared to go through with it, and to see that the fruits of their struggle against the alien enemy, and now against the domestic enemy, were garnered.

FULL APPROVAL.

MR. JOHNSON EXPLAINS.

Mr. Johnson said that they knew now that the men who were executed were taken with arms in the streets. They were obviously armed with the intention of attacking someone. He had the uttermost detestation of street ambushes above everything else that happened in this country—(hear, hear)—and he had not the slightest sympathy with those engaged in them, nor would he say a word in condonation of them.

He had raised the question in the House because of the lack of information in the announcement. He thought the reputation of the Government was saved by the statement which his query produced. Recent developments had conclusively proved to him that there was going to be no life for this nation unless by the taking of stringent measures.

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NO HAND-CLAPPING.

Mr. Gaffney (Labour) said that he was not satisfied with what the Ministers and others had said. When the announcement of the executions was made in the House it was received with a clapping of hands. (Cries of "liar" and "withdraw.")

The Speaker—There was no clapping of hands. The statement is untrue, and the Deputy must withdraw it.

Mr. Gaffney—I'll explain.

The Speaker—I will not have any explanation. You made a statement which concerns the whole Dail and which is not correct. You must withdraw it, and then you can go on.

Mr. Gaffney—If I am allowed I will make my position clear. (Cries of "Chair.")

The Speaker—I would despise myself all my life if, sitting in this chair, I allowed an untrue statement like that to pass. The statement must be withdrawn. The Deputy, in justice to himself, should withdraw the statement.

Mr. Johnson said that the statement was obviously untrue, and Mr. Gaffney had no alternative but to withdraw it.

Mr. Gaffney—If I withdraw it will you give me an opportunity of explaining?

The Speaker—Is the statement withdrawn?

Mr. Gaffney—Yes.

Mr. Gaffney then proceeded to say that the Government had no authority from the country to carry out these executions.

He was called to order for irrelevancies, and made as if to leave the House.

THE PRESIDENT

STILL WILLING FOR PEACE.

President Cosgrave said that the steps which the Government were taking were by no means pleasurable steps for them. They had given timely notice and warning only when they had reached the end of a phase in the life of the country.

People who postured under a certain banner would not be allowed to interrupt the life of the country.

For two months the Government had been patient with those people, and they had to give the country an earnest of the fact that they were in earnest when the House passed the resolutions under which the executions were carried out.

They meant to restore order in the country. These people had said that they were going to win or be exterminated, and had made their selection. If to-morrow these people who were engaged in arms against the country surrendered their arms and submitted to the will of the country the Government would not impose any humiliation upon them. (Hear, hear.)

Everyone knows that if the country were to prosper there must be ordered government.

ATTACKS ON RAILWAYS.

GREAT SOUTHERN AND WESTERN.

The Great Southern and Western Railway Company announce that during Thursday night the telephone between Dundrum and Goold's Cross was taken away, and telegraph poles and wires were cut.

At Morley's Bridge the station premises were raided by armed men.

Waterford Abbey Junction signal cabin was raided, and the staff instruments and telephone were broken.

The signal cabin at Claremorris was damaged by rifle fire.

The premises at the Curragh siding were also raided, and the telephone instruments and other articles were stolen.

At Millstreet the signal cabin and contents were destroyed by fire, points and chairs broken, and rails torn up. The power house engine and boiler were broken.

Drishane Bridge was burned down; also another overhead bridge was destroyed by fire between Millstreet and Rathmore.

At Goold's Cross the station was raided, and two telephones were stolen; and at Laffan's Bridge the goods store was raided and goods were interfered with.

The signal cabin at Milford was burned; all instruments were destroyed, telegraph poles cut, and the goods store was raided.

The telegraph wires were cut south of Limerick Junction on Thursday night.

At Nenagh the signals were broken.

An abortive attempt was made to burn a signal cabin at Tralee.

Between Limerick Junction and Oola on Thursday night 137 railway chairs were broken, temporarily interrupting the train service between Limerick and Limerick Junction.

UNEMPLOYED MARCHERS

TO INSIST ON SEEING THE PRIME MINISTER.

The unemployed marchers from various parts of the country assembled in Hyde Park yesterday afternoon, and were joined by London contingents.

Mr. W. Hallington, national organiser of the movement, announced to the crowd through a megaphone that the Prime Minister had sent a letter to the headquarters of the Unemployed Workers' Committee, informing them that he would not be able to receive the marchers next Wednesday, but in the words of the speaker, "was going to put up the Minister of Health and the Minister of Labour."

"We will make him change his mind," said Mr. Hallington. "We shall send a reply telling Mr. Bonar Law in no uncertain manner that we shall not leave London until he does see us." He added that a great demonstration would be held in London next Wednesday, and those on the deputation would insist on seeing the Prime Minister and no one else. "Therefore, get yourselves well prepared," he concluded.

NURSES' UNION.

SUCCESSFUL YEAR'S WORK.

The annual meeting of the Irish Nurses' and Midwives' Union was held yesterday at the Irish Women Workers' Union premises, 7-8 Eden quay, Dublin. The Hon. Albinia Brodrick, President, presided.

The annual report stated that the total membership up to September this year was 1,370, an increase of 233 on the number recorded in October, 1921. New branches have been formed in Dundalk and Cork for midwives. A good deal of organising work has been carried on in Dublin, and in Rathmines many midwives have joined up.

The Union is still pressing their claim for a standard salary scale for dispensary midwives whenever possible, and have recently been sending it to the newly-formed County Health Board with some success.

Resolutions were adopted declaring that all nurses employed in county homes and hospitals must be members of the Union, and calling upon the Government to enforce the Midwives Act in all counties.

It was decided to put forward a candidate at the next election of the General Nursing Council.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

ST. MARY'S.—The Archbishop of Dublin will preside at St. Mary's, Donnybrook, to-morrow morning, when the memorial window erected in memory of Archdeacon Walsh will be unveiled and dedicated. The window is a particularly good specimen of Dublin stained glass work.

MAGDALEN CHURCH.—To-morrow morning the preacher will be the Rev. J. C. Forrester, Chaplain of Trinity College, who will deal with the subject of Theosophy. At evening prayer, the Rev. J. F. Moncrieff Cox will continue the addresses on "The Meaning of Life." The subject for to-morrow will be "Utilitarianism."

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

ORMOND QUAY.—The Services will be conducted by the Rev. F. C. Gibson. At the Evening Service the subject will be "Is Our Lord coming soon?"

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

BRIGHTON ROAD.—The Service to-morrow morning will be conducted by the Rev. J. M. Alley, President of the Methodist Church in Ireland. In the evening, the Rev. E. W. Young will preach.

BLACKROCK.—The Services to-morrow will be conducted by Dr. Carrothers. The special subject for the Evening Service will be "The Poor Man's Market."

CENTENARY CHURCH.—The Service in the morning will be conducted by the Rev. W. Crawford. At 7 p.m., the Rev. R. Brooke Morton will preach on "Give me, or make me—Which?" The anthem will be "Evening and Morning" by Oakley. Strangers are invited to the services.

OBITUARY.

MR. PATRICK CRUMLEY.

The death occurred yesterday, at the residence of his son-in-law, Grove House, Milltown, Co. Dublin, of Mr. Patrick Crumley, who represented South Fermanagh in the Imperial Parliament from 1910 to 1918. He had been in failing health for a considerable time.

The late Mr. Crumley, who was over 80 years of age, was known in the House of Commons as "Honest Pat," and was an intimate friend of Mr. Birrell. For many years he was engaged in business in Enniskillen. He was an active member of several local boards in County Fermanagh.

DUBLIN BUILDERS BACK AT WORK.

Building operations, which had been suspended in consequence of the refusal of members of the Transport Union (Building Trades Group) to accept a reduction in their wages, were resumed yesterday, in accordance with the agreement between the representatives of the men and the employers.

CITY ABATTOIR STRIKE.

ATTITUDE OF BUTCHERS AND DROVERS.

POSSIBLE SHORTAGE OF MEAT.

Owing to the attitude of the Irish Transport Union towards the rearrangement of a certain inspector's duties, work at the Dublin Abattoir was again suspended yesterday. To the average man it would seem that the most suitable person for the work of meat inspection is a veterinary surgeon; but colleagues of the official who has been doing the work recently in Dublin think otherwise, and because he was transferred to another department, when out lose of rank, they decided to "hold up" the whole work of the abattoir.

What an inconvenience this is for victuallers in the city may be gathered from the fact that during the two weeks ended 3rd November there were killed at the abattoir—

- 486 cattle,
- 7 calves,
- 1,235 sheep,
- 95 pigs.

Unless those who have animals to kill are accommodated by butchers who possess private slaughter-houses, there may be a shortage in the supply of fresh meat in Dublin this week-end.

The only change in the situation yesterday was the granting of permission to those who already had carcases in the abattoir to take them away.

Mr. Bohane, Secretary No. 3 Branch of the Transport Union, stated yesterday that Mr. Knowles, the official in question, had acted as meat inspector since 1907, when his appointment was sanctioned by the Local Government Board. He was a member of the Operative Butchers' Section, Transport Union, and, said Mr. Bohane, "is asked to take up a job he never held. We intend to see that he will remain according to the terms of his appointment as a meat inspector. The strike will go on till he is reinstated."

Meanwhile, the Drovers' Section of the Transport Union has posted a notice stating that cattle drovers and butchers' porters will not handle live cattle in the Dublin Cattle market pending the settlement of this dispute, which, by the way, concerns directly 60 men—butchers and porters.

TOWN TENANTS' LEAGUE.

CO. DUBLIN CASES DISCUSSED.

The last meeting of the Central Executive of the All-Ireland Town Tenants' League—Mr. P. Carolin presiding—had again before it the complaints of Mr. Maurice McNally and Mr. Patrick McKenna, of Raheny, County Dublin, that their holdings had been purchased over their heads. The two tenants, who attended the meeting, stated that the farmers of the district were taking immediate action, and that a meeting would be held on Saturday in support of the request made by the Town Tenants' League to the purchaser of the lands and her agents to give the holdings to the tenants at the price that she had paid for them.

Mr. Maurice McNally said that he was assured of the whole-hearted support of the rural population, and he expressed his determination to hold his home.

Mr. McKenna, the other tenant, who said that he had been in possession of the holding for 33 years, stated that he had received a notice to quit, which was signed by the purchaser, Mrs. A. MacArthur.

Mr. Coghlan Briscoe read a letter from Messrs. MacArthur, Talbot street, Dublin, in a reply telling Mr. Bonar Law in no uncertain manner that we shall not leave London until he does see us." He added that a great demonstration would be held in London next Wednesday, and those on the deputation would insist on seeing the Prime Minister and no one else. "Therefore, get yourselves well prepared," he concluded.

NEW CHURCH AT LUSK.

LAYING THE FOUNDATION STONE

The ceremony of blessing the foundation stone of the new church to be erected at Lusk, Co. Dublin, will be performed by the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin, to-morrow at 3 o'clock. The new church will cost about £20,000, and of this sum about £14,000 has already been subscribed. According to the general plan, the new building will consist of one aisle and one transept, the main entrance being through a porch in the south-east corner. The general scheme of the building will be on early Christian lines, the internal treatment being based on the Romanesque or Lombardic style. The bell tower will be about 60 feet high.

BELVEDERE SOCIAL UNION.

Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin, was re-elected President of the Belvedere Social Club at the annual meeting held at Belvedere College on Thursday. The other honorary officers elected were:—Chairman of Committee, the Rector for the time being of Belvedere College; Vice-Presidents, Very Rev. J. Fahy, S.J. (Provincial); Rev. Henry Gill, S.J.; Rev. Lambert M'Keuna, S.J.; Rev. N. Tonkins, S.J.; Very Rev. M. Quinlan, S.J.; Very Rev. F. M. Browne, S.J.; Sir John O'Connell, and Mr. Laurence Waldron. The following were appointed on the Committee:—Messrs. Malowe, M'Nally, Edmund O'Brien, G. M. Collins, and Charles J. Joyce; Hon. Secretaries, Messrs. Thomas Meleady and J. Stanislaus Joyce; and Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Dermot Manning.

From the report of the Honorary Secretary it appeared the energies of the Club were directed to the working of the Newsboys' Club, 12 Grattan Court. During the year the Club was open on 52 nights. Through the effort of the Rev. L. McKenna, S.J., classes were inaugurated last May, and these had been well attended. In connection with the classes a grant of £6 5s. had been received from the National Education Board.

The report was adopted. Several members urged the case of the newsboys, and commended the work of the Club to the generosity of the public.

The annual charity sermon in aid of St. Brigid's Orphanage, Eccles street, Dublin, will be preached on Sunday, the 26th inst., in the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin. The institution was founded in 1856, and has since then received 4,274 children; 363 are at present in the orphanage.

The annual appeal on behalf of the Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society will be preached at the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, Dublin, to-morrow, by the Rev. Patrick Power, S.J.

Special celebrations were held in the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, Dublin, this week in celebration of the Feast of St. Lawrence O'Toole. The Archbishop presided at the High Mass. The annual Office and High Mass for the deceased bishops and priests of the diocese was celebrated on Thursday.

"WICKED TITTLE-TATTLE."

WHY DR. HARTZHORNE ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

A sentence of four days' imprisonment—which meant his instant release—was passed at the Old Bailey, London, yesterday on Dr. Bernard Frederick Hartzhorne.

Completely exonerated at the inquest on Wednesday in connection with the death of a patient—Mrs. Jelfs, a rich Chiswick widow, whose body was exhumed—Dr. Hartzhorne was on trial for attempting suicide by poisoning himself, which he admitted.

Dr. Hartzhorne's letter to the Coroner, in which, after writing of "the anxieties of the last few days," he said he was "going to sleep," was read; and his wife spoke of "wicked tittle-tattle" and anonymous letters concerning the death of Mrs. Jelfs.

The doctor was in tears as the Recorder declared: "If ever a man was driven through grave and wicked tittle-tattle to attempt his life," you are that man."

ROSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN.

Successes since Jan. 1, 1921—Guinness' First Class Clerkships—All the appointments (6); Bank of Ireland—Male Clerkships, 26 appointments (with 1st place at last 2 exams.); Lady Clerkships, 7 appointments (with 1st place). Other Irish Banks—54 appointments.—(Advt.)

ROBBING THE CIVIC GUARD.

WOMAN'S ORDEAL.

WEXFORD'S VIEW OF AMBUSHING.

PLAIN STATEMENT BY OFFICER.

Miss MacPhillips, book-keeper in a Kenmare hotel, has arrived at Queenstown on a destroyer, having been driven from the town because she sympathised with the national Government. Armed men placed her against a wall, discharged shots all round about her, and compelled her to leave without anything but the clothes in which she stood.

Armed men on Thursday night arrived by train in Ballinamore, entered the Civic Guards' station, overpowered the members of the Guard, and carried off their uniforms and bedding.

These they took to the railway station, together with boots, whiskey, and other goods seized in the town, and left again by train.

COUNTY CORK.

DRIVEN FROM KENMARE

OUTRAGEOUS TREATMENT OF A WOMAN.

Miss M'Phillips, a native of Galway, employed as book-keeper in a Kenmare hotel, was landed by a British destroyer at Queenstown on Thursday night. She had not even then recovered from the terrifying experiences which she suffered at the hands of armed men because of her sympathies with the national Government. On Wednesday evening she was ordered out of the hotel by a number of armed men, placed against a wall, and shots were fired all round her. When several rounds had been discharged she was ordered to quit the town just as she stood. Unable to get any clothes or money, she was compelled to run in the direction of the bay. A British destroyer was lying at anchor, and the commander hearing head of Miss M'Phillips's plight, sent a boat ashore for her, and had her conveyed to the warship, which brought her to Queenstown.

A bomb was thrown yesterday at national troops driving in a lorry through Castrim street, Cork. The explosion startled pedestrians, many having narrow escapes. None of the soldiers were injured.

COUNTY WEXFORD.

"WILFUL MURDER."

WEXFORD VERDICT ON AN AMBUSH.

An inquest was held last evening at Wexford Military Barracks on Private Peter Hogan, a native of County Carlow, who was killed in an ambush of national troops at Aughnagan, Wexford, on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. J. J. Roche, Coroner for South Wexford, conducted the inquest.

Commandant Sean Gallagher appeared for the military authorities.

The body of Private Hogan was identified by his brother, Private J. J. Hogan, who is also a member of the Wexford garrison.

Witness stated that his brother was 22 years of age. He last saw him alive on Friday of last week, when he came to Ferrycarrig outpost.

Lieutenant D. Lawlor deposed that he was in charge of a small party of troops, which was going from Wexford to Wellingtonbridge. On the journey they negotiated damaged bridges with the aid of planks, and when they passed the second bridge at Aughnagan, and had remounted the tender, which was only starting, fire was opened on the party from three positions, on both sides of the road, and ahead of them.

The tender stopped, being knocked out of action by the fire of the attackers, who appeared in a number about fifteen, and were armed with two Thompson guns and two or three Peter the Painter automatic pistols. He and three of the party, including Hogan, got off the tender, and endeavoured to secure cover, but could not find any. The attackers surrounded them from very close positions. The attack lasted about five minutes, and in the last volley Hogan was shot about ten yards from him. Witness went over to him and found that he was dead.

Lieutenant Burke corroborated.

Dr. G. V. O'Connor stated that he made a superficial examination of Private Hogan's body and found a large wound, two inches long, situated about one inch below and behind the lower lobe of the right ear, which penetrated the brain. There was no exit wound. There were two superficial wounds on the right jaw. Death resulted from laceration of the brain and was instantaneous.

"OUTRAGEOUS."

Commandant Gallagher, on behalf of the military, tendered deep sympathy with the relatives of Private Hogan. It is needless, he continued, for him to say that this occurrence is simply outrageous, occurring as it does in County Wexford, where men could not be found with pluck enough to fight the British forces when they were installed here. The gentlemen now fighting the National Army are those emerging from the burrows where the British terror drove them. We are going to see this thing through, and we demand the help and co-operation of the people in terminating the war, particularly in County Wexford. (Hear, hear.) It is all very well to pass votes of sympathy with the dead soldier's relatives, but a little help from the people goes a long way.

We and some people in County Wexford who have not the moral courage to come forward and give the necessary help to the National Army. We have a good illustration of that type of moral courage to-day. A certain merchant was summoned to attend the inquiry and positively refused to come, fearing that he might be shot. I do not think there is a man in County Wexford to-day with pluck enough to shoot anyone when it is put up to them.

As far as the National Army is concerned, we are going to defend the people while we are here, regardless of the cost.

Alderman J. Binnett, foreman, addressing the jury, said that a soldier of the National Army had been brutally murdered in the discharge of his duty, and, on their behalf, he tendered deep sympathy to the relatives and to the army on the loss of their comrade.

The jury returned the following verdict:—"We find that Private Peter Hogan died at Aughnacan from laceration of the brain, caused by a bullet, fired by some person or persons unknown while ambushing a party of the national troops, of which deceased was a member. We consider it a case of wilful murder. We tender our deep sympathy to the relatives of deceased, and to the Wexford detachment of the National Army."

Commandant Gallagher returned thanks for the verdict.

COUNTY LEITRIM.

CIVIC GUARD RAIDED.

ARMED MEN CARRY OFF UNIFORMS AND BEDDING.

Our Ballyconnell Correspondent states that about thirty men from Arigna travelled by rail from Drumshambo to Ballinamore, which they reached at 6.30 on Thursday evening, and, going to the quarters of the Civic Guard —about seven in number—stripped them of their uniform and bedding. These they removed on commandeered lorry, together with boots, whiskey, tobacco, and other goods taken from shops, to the train, which was delayed an hour for the purpose. The armed men disappeared as they had come.

A disease which has not yet been diagnosed is attacking the elm trees throughout Holland, many of which have been killed.

LORD ROSSMORE SURPRISED.

IN TWO PLACES AT AT ONCE.

IN LONDON AND ON A CANADIAN LINER.

Something of a comedy has arisen over a notice that appeared in the Press on Thursday announcing that Lord Rossmore and the Hon. J. Murdock were among the passengers who left Southampton for Canada in the Empress of Britain.

Picking up a paper at his club in London, Lord Rossmore read the report with astonishment and interest.

Yesterday he visited the Steamboat Company, and found that a passenger did book as Lord Rossmore. Lord Rossmore then went to Scotland Yard, but "the Yard" could do nothing, so he is sending the following wireless to the captain of the Empress of Britain:—"Lord Rossmore is safe ashore."

"Is there any mistake?" his lordship was asked by an interviewer. "None at all," was the reply. "I had no intention of going to Canada, and am not going even after him. If he were in London I might have a bit of fun with him. However, I must let them know. No, there is no other Lord Rossmore."

OUTWARD MAILS.

POSTING DAY IN DUBLIN.

Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay, Bolivia, and Chile	Nov. 23
Ascension and St. Helena: Direct	Dec. 5
Australia: Via Suez	Nov. 24
Bahamas: Via N.Y.	Nov. 24
Brazil (Pernambuco)	Nov. 16
Do. (Para, &c.)	Nov. 18
Ceylon: Via Suez	Nov. 22
Chile (Punta Arenas)	Nov. 22
China (Shanghai and N. China): Via Suez	Nov. 28
Cook and Society Is.: Via 'Frisco	Nov. 29
Dutch East Indies	Nov. 23
East Africa (Kenya, Uganda, and Zanzibar)	Nov. 24
Ecuador	Nov. 22
Egypt, Cyprus, and Palestine	Nov. 21
Falkland Is.	Nov. 20
Guiana	Nov. 28
India, Aden, Iraq, Persia, and Seychelles: Via Marseilles	Nov. 22
Mesopotamia (Baghdad) and Persia (so far as Bushire): Air Mail	Nov. 29
New Zealand: Via 'Frisco	Nov. 23
Do.: Via Suez	Nov. 29
Straits Settlements, Siam, S. China, &c.: Via Suez	Nov. 22
United States: By White Star	Nov. 20
Do.: By Cunard Line	Nov. 23
Venezuela: Via N.Y.	Nov. 20
West Coast of Africa (ex. Gambia, Ivory Coast)	Nov. 27

INWARD MAILS DUE.

November 20.—Brazil and the Argentine, U.S.A., Canada, Japan, Shanghai and North China, Bermuda, Bahamas, British Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico and Central America, Panama, West Coast of South America and West Indies, South Africa, Madeira, Egypt, India, Ceylon, Straits Settlements, Egypt, East Africa, U.S.A., Canada, Hong Kong, Bahamas, Mexico and Central America and West Indies.

November 21.—U.S.A., Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, Shanghai and North China, Fiji, Jamaica, Mexico and Central America, Panama and West Coast of South America and West Indies.

November 22.—Dutch East Indies, Canada, Newfoundland, Hong Kong and South China.

November 23.—U.S.A., Canada, Shanghai and North China, Bahamas, Mexico and Central America, Panama and West Coast of South America, Canada.

EDUCATING THE NEWSBOY.

ACTIVITIES OF BELVEDERE SOCIAL SERVICE CLUB.

The Very Rev. Michael Quinlan, S.J., Rector of Belvedere College, presided at a meeting of the Belvedere Social Service Club.

The Honorary Secretary's report stated that the Club directed all energies towards the working of the Dublin Newsboys' Club, 12 Grattan Court. The attendance at the classes fully justified the efforts of the Committee, and entitled them to a grant from the National Education Board of £6 5s. which they had received. An extract from the report of the Inspector, National Education Board, stated:—

"The teacher did his best with material somewhat difficult to handle—mainly newsboys—whose education had been very much neglected. Obviously no great progress could be expected in a session of 20 meetings, but attendance at school for even a short period must have been beneficial to the pupils who attended regularly."

The Rev. Lambert McKenna, S.J., said that the condition of the Dublin newsboys made a very strong appeal to their pity and their Christian feelings. There were in Dublin 5,000 boys and girls who never went to school at all, and among them were newsboys. Their lives were very demoralising and unlivelihood in the future. The experience of the members of the club was that these boys were solidly good, and that they were very amenable if taken in the right way. The work of befriending these boys was a work calling for help, and it was not receiving the help to which it was entitled.

The Rev. Nicholas Tomkins, S.J., said that he knew the Archbishop took a great interest in the work of the Club; and he suggested a special appeal for the Club at the annual dinner of the Belvedere College Union, of which he was President.

Father Quinlan suggested that the present students of Belvedere College should be sent to the Boys' Club to help the members in their work, and thus study at first hand an important social problem.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

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Committee—Messrs. Marlowe, McNally, Edmond O'Brien, G. M. Collins, and Charles J. Joyce; Hon. Secretaries, Messrs. Thomas Meleady and J. Stanislaus Joyce, and Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Dermot Manning.

CHAMBER MUSIC.

ST. ULTAN'S SERIES.

There was a fairly good audience at the Engineers' Hall, 35 Dawson street, Dublin, yesterday afternoon to hear the St. Ultan's monthly chamber music concerts. These concerts deserve more support, for good music well rendered is not common in Dublin. Yesterday Mrs. Milley (piano), Miss L. Thompson (1st violin), Miss R. Dowdall (2nd violin), Mr. G. Brett (viola), and Mr. F. Schofield ('cello) played Schumann's Quintet (Op. 44) with musicianly ability. Their well-maintained *tempo* was particularly notable, and their whole performance in this, and then the more difficult Tchaikowski Trio (Op. 50) was thoroughly satisfying.

Miss Mary Maguire contributed songs in French in her own inimitable way. Her efforts, always ambitious are invariably crowned with success, and if there were any present yesterday who had not heard Miss Maguire before, they must have gone away delighted, and wishing to hear her in simple English melodies, which would become her voice so well.

BANK OF IRELAND MALE CLERKSHIPS

Last exam., Feby., 1922. Successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin—Messrs. Slattery (Second Place), Quaile (Third Place), Mitchell, Hearne, O'Donovan, Kilbride, Ahern, and Empson. Previous exam., July, 1921. 16 Successes. Best Result.—(Advt.)

SMALLPOX MENACE.

PRECAUTIONS AT DUBLIN PORT.

DANGER OF SECOND-HAND CLOTHES.

In view of the outbreak of smallpox in England, all necessary precautions are being taken to prevent the introduction of

LORD NORTHCLIFFE.

Max Pemberton's Memoir—A Many-Sided Man—Egotism and Humour.

LIKE so many other Irishmen, Lord Northcliffe was so many-sided, so extraordinary, so versatile, that the truth about his life and character, if told, would be almost unbelievable. It is not told by Mr. Max Pemberton in his book, "Lord Northcliffe: a Memoir." He gives glimpses of the life and character of Lord Northcliffe as he knew him, as a young man entering into journalism, and of his later friendship, but he only touches on the fringe of Lord Northcliffe as a newspaper magnate. He gives episodes of his methods and work, but none of them is really illuminating as to the true force and vitality of the man who created the great popular Press of to-day out of the fortune made from *Answers* and *Comic Cuts*.

Very few men can appreciate Lord Northcliffe's varying moods, his dazzling insight and intuition, and his bold strokes which brought him fame and fortune. When Lord Northcliffe died, a friend of mine retired to the country for a month in order to write his life. He had known Lord Northcliffe well and intimately for many years. He had served on his papers in many capacities, and ultimately became the editor of one. But he returned with his task undone; in fact, he never even commenced it. "It is impossible," he told me, "to write the truth about Northcliffe. If I printed many of the things that he said and did, I should be denounced as malicious; the public would believe they were invented. If I eulogised his many greatnesses I should have to talk of his amazing weaknesses."

A Flaming Egotist.

Lord Northcliffe was a genius, a great man in many respects; but towards the end he became a flaming egotist. He was the Jekyll and Hyde of newspaperdom. One moment he would be offering thousands of pounds to encourage aviation; at another he would be complaining of the expenditure of a paltry few pounds in order to obtain some essential news service for his paper. The only thing consistent about him was his success and his devotion to his mother, whom he wrote to, or visited, almost every day he was in England. The mother of Alfred Charles William Harmsworth (born at Chapelizod, in the County of Dublin, on July 15th, 1865) was, says Mr. Pemberton, a very remarkable woman. Her father was Mr. William Maffett, a well-known private banker and estate agent, of a tenacious, practical, and acute County Down stock. She had an unusually liberal education, and before she was seventeen travelled a great deal in England and on the Continent. Her judgment was shrewd and penetrating, and it was through her resolution that her husband, a Dublin barrister, who wrote a little for the Reviews, abandoned his Irish practice to go to London.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE.

Dublin Revisited.

Mr. Max Pemberton describes incidentally how, in 1910, Lord Northcliffe, who always had a strong sentimental attachment to the place of his birth, broke a holiday in Scotland to revisit Dublin. "We reached Dublin after a delightful drive, and going out through the beautiful Phœnix Park, we came at last to a villa with a high wall around, and the river Liffey running round a shady garden. Mrs. Harmsworth herself occupied this truly beautiful country home; it must have been relatively in the country, although now it is almost a suburb of Dublin. The life in Dublin of those days was not that of Dublin in our time. Rather it resembled the social life of London as we have known it in recent years, for then, indeed, it was a capital." (Mr. Max Pemberton ignores the fact that Dublin is still a capital, and to-day it is the seat of the Government of Southern Ireland). "It had a season which was well recognised, while its spacious squares and streets did not have that shabby genteel appearance for which they have latterly unhappily been noteworthy)."

Leaving Chapelizod.

Lord Northcliffe was only two years old when he went to London. Mr. Max Pemberton—he first met Alfred Harmsworth when he was a boy of 14, a mutual love of the bicycle cementing their friendship—tells us that he clearly remembered the night he left Chapelizod. "There were Fenians manœuvring near the village, and a raid was expected; Harmsworth's mother wrapped the boy in a heavy shawl and carried him out by night to a brougham that was waiting. The drama of that hour was never forgotten." Be that as it may, Lord Northcliffe never showed any remarkable insight into the Irish problem. Indeed, to the best of my recollection, in the early days of 1914 his papers showed little sympathy with the Nationalist movement, and it was Lord Carson who was made the hero.

Alfred Harmsworth did not learn to write until he was seven years old, but when he was fourteen he was editing a school magazine, writing most of the stuff and correcting the proofs himself. Then he got his love for printing, and it never left him.

After he left school he did not go to a university, because he preferred to get his education in the world of experience. He hammered on all the doors of all the papers of Fleet street, placing an article here and there, but having most of them rejected, and lived on a few odd guineas a week.

His First Success.

An article written by himself and Max Pemberton on "Jerry-building" really laid the foundation of his fortune. His quick brain perceived the enormous possibilities of the form of journalism, which George Newnes had originated. "Board schools," Alfred Harmsworth told Max Pemberton, "are turning out thousands of boys and girls annually who are anxious to read. They do not care for the ordinary newspaper. They have no interest in society, and they read anything that is simple and sufficiently interesting. The man who has produced this *Tit Bits* has got hold of a bigger thing than he imagines. I shall try to get in with him."

A year or two later, on June 12th, 1888, *Answers*—then called *Answers to Correspondents*—appeared. It contained articles on silk stockings and how to live on nothing a year; and shortly afterwards *Comic Cuts* appeared, sold at ½d., and *Forget-Me-Not*—a penny paper, which appealed to servant girls—appeared. Within two years Alfred and his brother, Harold, now Lord Rothermere, were making a profit of £100,000 a year. They had certainly struck a gold mine.

In 1894 Lord Northcliffe made his first entrance in daily journalism. Owing to a remarkable bluff put up by a young journalist on T. P. O'Connor's evening paper, *Sun*, he secured the bankrupt *London Evening News*, in which the Conservative Party had sunk £300,000. Kennedy Jones and Harmsworth remodelled the paper as the result of the experience obtained on *Answers* and *Comic Cuts*, and soon were able to lay the foundations for the *Daily Mail*.

The Modern Newspaper.

Although his first half-guinea in Fleet street had been earned by writing a leading article, Harmsworth believed that the public wanted newspapers, not views papers, and from the start he spent money recklessly in order to obtain news. The views of his paper have always been superficial, and, until the last years of his life, Northcliffe did not care much about the leading articles, except that they must be short. In the book, a member of his staff for over 20 years declares that he could never remember that Lord Northcliffe ever seemed violently concerned about domestic politics, at all events before Mr. Joseph Chamberlain divided the country on the Tariff Reform question, when, by the way, his papers turned an amazing somersault overnight. One day they advocated Free Trade and a free breakfast table for the British working man; the next they were all for protection and a preference to the Dominions.

Personal Publicity.

Towards the end of his life Lord Northcliffe, who had always refused to allow his name to appear in his newspapers, revelled in personal publicity. He saw that it was good business. He also went into high politics, and interfered with domestic ones. He made friends and enemies of Cabinet Ministers indiscriminately and without consideration, but he was always hopelessly at sea, for he had no consistent policy and no logical understanding of the world situation. His views, like the news in his papers, changed every day, except on one subject—he had a great and overmastering hatred of Germany, which was apparent long before the Great War broke out. He hounded out of the War Office Lord Haldane, the man who understood the German mentality, ambitions, and plans better than any man in this country, and installed Lord Kitchener, whom, in turn, he pulled down from his pedestal.

Mr. Max Pemberton says that the article which resulted in the *Daily Mail's* being burnt publicly was written by Lord Northcliffe himself

War Work.

It was during the war that Lord Northcliffe took up the pen he had discarded for twenty years, and commenced to write again. He made many visits to the front, and wrote scores of articles for his papers, some remarkably brilliant and illuminating, and others so dull and futile that even his own editors were ashamed to print them.

Anything that was new to Lord Northcliffe was news. During the world trip which he took a year ago, on which he contracted the germ of the disease which ended his life, he cabled column articles to London about animal and vegetable life—information which was to be found in every encyclopædia. This was the first sign of the decline of a great genius. The last signs were his "amazing" (Max Pemberton's word) messages from Germany, of which only two had appeared, when his editors discovered that he had been temporarily deprived of his reason owing to the disease from which he was suffering.

I had occasion to see him a few weeks before he started on his tour. It was the first time I had come face to face with the creator of modern newspapers. I was received at his house in Carlton Gardens, and he struck me as a supreme egotist. The first personal pronoun was in every sentence he spoke. "Never take any notice of rumours," he said, "I often spread them myself." Having ventured a mild suggestion about *The Times*, in which he had acquired a controlling interest and had expended some hundreds of thousands of his own private fortune, I was told by the Chief: "I understand *The Times*. I am going to make you all sit up in the next six months; I have not finished yet."

"The Chief."

Masterful and overbearing as Lord Northcliffe was, he was known to all his employés as "The Chief," and affectionately regarded by many. He possessed a sense of humour, and on one occasion at one of the daily conferences at his office he asked: "What was the most interesting paragraph which has appeared in the *Mail* during the last six months?" The editors were aghast and dumbfounded, but a junior member observed: "The one, Chief, which said that Lord Northcliffe has left London for the South of France—no letters will be forwarded." The situation was relieved; there was a roar of laughter, in which, I am told, Lord Northcliffe joined.

Was it madness or only this sense of humour that was responsible for his many widely-boomed "stunts," such as sweet-peas, standard bread, and the Sandringham hat?

His only recreations were motoring and golfing. At Sutton Place, that beautiful Tudor house, a few miles from Guildford, he built an exceedingly modern and vastly scientific 9-hole course, where he used to invite friends and his staff to play with him, and he owned a wonderful fleet of motor cars. At one time he owned at least a dozen, and was certainly one of the pioneers of mechanical transport, as he was of flying.

His Place in History.

Mr. Max Pemberton avoids most controversial matters, for he declares that this is not the time to estimate Lord Northcliffe's true place in history in order to pronounce a measured verdict on those political disputes in which events embroiled him. Therefore, those who read the book, hoping to get some insight into Lord Northcliffe's sudden break with Mr. Lloyd George, and the vendetta that followed, with be disappointed; but I can sum the whole matter up in a few words—Lloyd George did not invite Lord Northcliffe to go to the Peace Conference as a British delegate. Northcliffe was accused by many of his enemies of making the war unavoidable as the result of his scaremongering; he wanted to make the peace when the war was ended, but Lloyd George would have none of this. Lord Northcliffe was not skilled in the art of diplomacy, but his sycophants had convinced him that he was a superman—which he was not.

Looking back on the events of the past four years, and the present position in Europe, it is hard to think that Lord Northcliffe, unskilled as he was, could have made a worse peace; he might even have made one that would have pleased the masses, whose mind he always seemed to read like an open book.

VALUABLE BIBLES.

THERE are several editions of the Bible which are worth their weight in gold from the collector's point of view. This is because they contain unique misprints or mistakes. Some of these errors are amusing. For instance, in 1631 a Bible was published in which the little but all important word "not" was omitted from the Seventh Commandment. The careless printer who was responsible for this mistake was fined £300 by Archbishop Laud. This Bible is very appropriately known as the "Wicked Bible."

Another Bible is catalogued as the "Bugge Bible." It is now very rare, and copies in good condition are worth £100. In this Bible Psalm 91, 5, reads:—"So that thou shalt not nede to be afrayed for anye bugges by nyghte, nor for the arrow that flyeth by day."

In the famous "Breeches Bible," which was printed in Geneva during the reign of Queen Mary, Gen., 3, 7, reads:—". . . and they sewed fig tre leaves together, and made them selves breeches."

The "Pagan Bible" was published in London in 1572. This Bible contains most unsuitable secular illustrations. For example, at St. John, 1st Epistle, Chap. 1, it shows a picture of Mount Olympus and the Gods, Leda and Swan; Daphne and Apollo!

In Barker's Authorized Version, published in 1611, Ruth 3, 15, reads:—". . . be measured five measures of barley and laide it on her; and *he* went into the citie." The "he" should, of course, be "she." This Bible is called the "Great He Bible." In a second edition the mistake was corrected. This Bible is known as the "Great She Bible."

"The Vinegar Bible" derives its name from the fact that the "Parable of the Vineyard" was printed as the "Parable of the Vinegar," in the titling of the page to Luke 20. This edition was published by J. Baskett, of Oxford, in 1717. There were so many mistakes in it that it was referred to as "a baskett full of errors."

"The Judas Bible" contains the following extraordinary misprint:—

"Then commeth Judas with them unto a place called Gethsemane, and saith unto the disciples, Sit yee here, while I goe and pray yonder."

"The Servant Bible," published in 1640, reads as follows:—

"Now the servant was more subtill than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made, and he said unto the woman, Yea hath God said, Ye shall not eat of every tree of the Garden."

"Servant," is, of course, a misprint for "serpent." But in all probability the poor printer was plagued with a bad servant, and unconsciously immortalised the unsatisfactory wench in the Scriptures.

In the "More Seas Bible," Rev. 21, 1, is printed thus:—

"And I saw a new heaven, and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away, and there was more sea."

Perhaps the most amusing mistakes occurred in the "Treacle Bible," which was printed in 1575. This Bible was suppressed by the Church, although a few copies managed to escape destruction. In it "There is no more balm at Gillead" (Jeremiah 8) appears as "There is no more treacle at Galaad."

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NOVEMBER IN THE GARDEN.

The Planting Season.

TO the gardener, no less than to the ordinary mortal, this year has been a curious one. In Ireland, at any rate, flowers and vegetables, goaded by the weather's caprice, have played pranks on us at every turn. Seeds, sown under apparently favourable conditions, made no more attempt to germinate than if they had been sawdust. Perfectly average-looking beetroots ran up to flower almost before they had passed the seedling stage. Normal behaviour was the dull exception, and very rousing the year proved for the gardener, inclined to sink peacefully into a comfortable exclusive rut, provided with a complete set of theories, and with an unchangeable routine mapped out for himself and his charges.

In most gardens hardy perennial borders are past their prime in October. It is a secret relief to see those last flowers fade and droop, for at this time of the year you are burning to rectify last summer's sins of omission, still rankling in your mind. With visions of future glories, you hasten to cut back dying flower stalks, to dig out, root, and branch those plants of mediocre colour or of uncertain flowering qualities. This year, with its striving after the unusual, gave us a disappointing summer blooming, and an autumn veritably ablaze with colour and beauty long after we should have been at work on our preparations for next year.

The Cosmopolitan.

The hardy perennial is the cosmopolitan among plants, the most adaptable, the most long suffering, and the least exacting. There is hardly a spot so unattractive or gloomy but that some member of the tribe will flourish there. On account of their simple wants and pleasant ways, hardy perennials are gradually ousting the old half-hardy favourites, and the stiff beds of our forefathers are being replaced by mixed borders of plants easy to rear and of endless possibilities and charm.

Anyone fortunate enough to be planning out a new perennial border should sit down, either by his fireside or, better still, in his garden, and think. There are two or three important points, which, ill-considered, will mar his plans.

The first business is to choose the site. A north aspect is an unfavourable one, except for certain plants; therefore, choose one running north and south or east and west, in full sun, with some shelter from cold winds. A border that runs from east to west has this joy, that the rising and setting sun will gild its whole length with golden fire and light up the colours with an unimaginable splendour.

Avoid a low, damp spot, unless you want to go in for draining, a tiresome and costly business. If your plants are to do their best for you they must have air both above and beneath the ground, and a water-logged soil is invariably an unhealthy one.

Background.

Then comes the question of background. A good background is the making of a good border. However choice and beautiful your plants, if you set them up high and lifted above their fellows, or bleakly and with no relation to the rest of the garden, then you are laying up failure for yourself and the appearance of a seed catalogue for your garden. An old wall is a perfect background; so is a yew hedge—these are matters of common knowledge, and their repetition is merely tantalising. A wall can have flowering shurbs and creepers trained upon it, such treasures as ceanothus, pyrus japonica, honeysuckles, clematis, cratægus, wall roses, and a host of others. A grey stone wall, old and mellow, with clematis jackmanni massed behind a border of blue, purple, scarlet, and yellow, is a thing to be remembered through a life-time. Most good hedges are greedy, yew, beech, and holly, all pleasant backgrounds, should have their roots confined by cutting with a spade, and a narrow path left between them and the border. An economic plan is to train espalier fruit trees on wires behind the border; the effect is not so solid as a hedge, but it is better than planting flowering shrubs, which are more satisfactory in a border of their own.

Site and background settled, we come to the all-important question of preparing the ground. Remember that you will expect great things from your plants, perpetual colour from spring to autumn, so do not grudge the necessary food; you will be repaid a hundred-fold. If really deeply trenched and well manured at the start, there should be no need to upheave and manure again for several years. It is best to go through the border each autumn, divide up the plants that are getting over-crowded and impoverished, fork lightly, and top-dress with decayed manure.

Best Planting Months.

Deep loam is a rare and precious possession. It will need less manure than a sandy or a gravelly soil—these should have two good layers of decayed farmyard manure, one under the top spit and one under the second spit. This will help to keep the roots moist and cool in summer, and will make up in some measure for the soil's deficiencies. Heavy land needs deeper digging and lighter materials added. Stable manure, nice and strawy, should take the place of farmyard. Road scrapings, ashes from the bonfire, leaf soil, sand—any or all of these should be mixed in with the top soil. Most soils need an occasional dressing of lime, and this should be given after the border is dug. October and November are the best planting months; after this it is better to wait until March or April, unless the weather is kindly. It is wise to make a rough plan on paper, as haphazard planting often results in too formal or too spotty an effect. Each clump should be large enough to give a good mass of colour, but not so large as to leave an unsightly gap when its day is done. Three or four plants of the taller perennials and five or six of the smaller ones make pleasant clumps for a border of ordinary dimensions. There is no difficulty in the actual planting. If a good-sized hole is taken out to allow for the spread of the roots, and the plant is put in as deep as it was before, it should be content. Only remember that good planting is firm planting, and tread in each plant gently, but thoroughly. If old plants are being divided up, the outside divisions are best used and the starved inside portion thrown away. Large divisions soon get overcrowed in their turn, and it is wise to use small pieces.

Good Varieties.

If new plants are to be purchased, it pays to choose good varieties. Such are the following:—

Aconitum Fischeri, blue.
Anchusa Italica Opal, blue.
Aster Acris, Amellus Ultramarine, Beauty of Colwall, Climax, Snowflake.
Aubretia, Dr. Mules, Prichard's A1, Fire King.
Cephalaria Alpina, yellow.
Cherianthus Allioni, orange.
Chelone Barbata, scarlet.
Chrysanthemum Maximum, Rentpayer, white.
Geum Coccineum, Mrs. Bradshaw, scarlet.
Helenium Riverton Gem, Riverton Beauty, Gartensone.
Helianthus Sigudus, Miss Mellish, Miss Willmott.
Iris Germanica, Princess Beatrice, Oriflamme.
Kniphofia Tucki, Corallina.
Monarda Didyma, Cambridge scarlet.
Nepeta Violaceae, purple.
Potentilla Nepalensis, Miss Willmott, Ophir.
Pyrethrum Nemesis, James Kelway.
Romneya Coulteri (a gem, but not perfectly hardy).
Sidalcea Rosy Gem.
Verbascum Eupreum, Harkness' Hybrids, Miss Willmott.

Space does not permit of a comprehensive list. The above are a few well-tried favourites, all easy of culture and certain to give satisfaction.

If a superman makes a mess of things he makes a supermess.—Mr. Baldwin.

I was always brought up to show the greatest respect to all Prime Ministers.—Lady Bonham Carter.

Socialism is like love and measles. It comes upon many in their teens, but they outgrow it.—Miss Mary Grant.

Public bodies are the worst possible landlords.—Judge Cluer.

"Rule Britannia" is the most corrupt song in our repertoire.—Sir Frederick Bridge.

I am a champion of short skirts and silk stockings.—Dr. J. Browning Alexander.

"THE SPOIL-SPORTS."

A Hunting Paradox of To-day.

(BY "M.")

PAT and Mick were snagging turnips in the "four acres," and the turnips belonged to the man who paid the wages every Saturday night.

It is possible to converse comfortably while at this kind of work, so Pat and Mick talked politics, with a strong flavour of Socialism. One could gather, from their conversation, that a great many things would be changed were they in power. For one thing, they would not snag any more turnips—let someone else do that; nor would they take orders from any man.

"I dunno," said Mick, "what we want wid a big Army! Lashin' money around to keep it goin'; the greatest ould nonsense."

"Well, at anny rate," said Pat, more discreetly, "tis a livin' scandal the fightin' an' desolation is goin' on, an' the likes of us sufferin' for it. The gintry can lave the country whin it gets too hot, but we may stay on an' earn what'll keep us alive, an' then likely get shot dead in the latther end, be one party or another."

"Bedad," answered Mick (bitterly), "all the gintry can think about is sport, winther or summer. We're touchin' our hats long enough to thim boyos. They're out huntin' to-day, I thank ye. I seen the Captain an' the dogs down the road. Faith, the quality round here has little sinse to be takin' orders from a Masther that fought for the English; ay' an' lettin' him curse the heads off thim, as well." And on this subject both men were in full accord; it was no time for such things as hunting, with Ireland so distressed, and, therefore, hunting must go.

At this moment Mick straightened his weary back, and the next instant he gripped Pat's arm in a fever of excitement—"The fox," he whispered. The two men stood like statues while the small brown shape stole across the turnip field and vanished over the ditch at the further end.

"I hear the dogs," said Pat, excitedly; "that they may come on quick, an' they'll get him, for he's tired."

"Tally ho—o—o—o," yelled Mick, frantically waving his hat to the approaching horsemen. "Come on yer best an' ye have him! Good man, yerself, captain, that was a great lep. Belt on her horse ma'am, tis tirened he is." And the two malcontents rushed after the horsemen, yelling encouragement, shouting full particulars as to the direction taken by the fox, and pointing out a good place to cross the ditch.

Two fields off, there was nothing left of the little brown fox but a draggled piece of fur. "Thim are great dogs intirely," said Mick, gasping for breath, "an' the captain is the lad can manage thim."

Away moved the horses and hounds, turning towards home, and back to the turnips went our two friends. They worked in silence for a while, then Pat spoke: "'Tis a grand sport," he said. "It is all that," said Mick.

ELBOW GREASE.

WHEN my doctor said I needed a rest, I locked up my fountain pen, bought some tools, and spent a week about the house. For a day or two I was conscious only of blisters all over my hands; but on the fourth day, when I found myself whistling the first act of "The Mikado," I judged that the cure was working.

Taking over the boot-cleaning department was my happiest idea. Surrounded by a few pairs of my own, a couple of the wife's, my son's garden shoes (so called because they are a garden in themselves), and my doughter's ditto, I soon finished the rest of the Savoy opera and even tried a few of Ko Ko's steps.

As a small boy I fell under this fascination of boot cleaning, and not content with cleaning my own shoes twice a day, I, unbeknown to my mother, obtained a holiday situation for two weeks as boots to a family of local gentry.

I got the incredible sum of two shillings per week for this happy time of self-expression. On Saturdays I was a swaggering capitalist, and headed vast secret orgies of date-eating (greengrocers' pre-war dates, about a hundredweight for twopence). I often think if I had kept up my boot-cleaning, instead of joining libraries, I should have been a great man now. We make these mistakes.

It is a fundamental truth—man, as distinguished from boy, is happiest when he is (a) feeling mud, or (b) polishing. A lot depends on the temperament, of course. Your merely animal man prefers (a); the more highly developed likes polishing. The British War Office was widely laughed at during the war for its routine orders to trench-weary men to spit and polish. But the War Office was not born yesterday. Its roots are in Blenheim, the Crimea, in Corunna. It knows that war breaks the spirit, that it is dirty. Men must be soothed somehow; and half an hour after that historic order, polish buttons, clean equipment, and fall in at 10.30 sharp for C.O.'s inspection, weary-eyed men were whistling as they polished. Button-polishing was a spiritual bath, and as a rite held the British line until the field washing baths came.

Eminently constructive as it is, boot-polishing fills in the creases, softens the surface of the mind, and is a protection against spiritual hard weather. No man who has done much boot cleaning can fail to be a philosopher.

Dickens, with his usual uncanny instinct, made his greatest intellectual a boots. Boots, not books, are the foundation of wisdom, and Sam Weller, who had seen all sorts and conditions of footwear, read men by their soles! with heels as the great decider.

Personally, I think a lot of our labour troubles are due to the decline of blackning. A man had to rub in the old days. I don't think, with modern leathers and polishers, Dickens would have found his Samuel. And then, of course, spitting. . . .

But that, I think, is another article.

THE RUINS.

IT crowns the soft green slopes by the river-side, and is flanked by sunny gardens and shady shrubberies. Sweet-scented roses bloom on the broad terraces that overlook the great park, and the flower-beds that stud the lawns are ablaze with many-coloured blooms. All round are marks of care and cultivation; but the stately centre of all this beauty and brightness, for centuries the home of gaiety and riches, is now but an empty shell. Its gaunt walls, with gaping windows, like great dark unseeing eyes, rise from the noble hill-side—a beacon of desolation, a warning to the wayfarer of the power of hatred and revenge.

The kindly hand of Time has not been allowed to clothe these crumbling walls and grim, tottering chimneys with soft, clinging verdure; no passing years have clothed Nature's handiwork of gentle decay with noble dignity.

If a curious visitor penetrates that gloomy interior, he will find heaps of *débris* and unsightly rubbish on all sides—fragments of costly furniture, twisted iron work, scorched timber, shreds of priceless hangings and rich clothing—all telling the tragic story of violence and destruction.

"Look on its broken arch, its ruined wall,
Its chambers desolate . . . . . ."

This is a ruin of 1922!

THE BOTANIC GARDENS.

IN a flood of sunshine on this autumn afternoon "full many a flower" was wasting its sweetness on the desert air. No glass roof was needed to protect either the gay Chrysanthemum or the rich profusion of soft colours in the flowering conservatory.

Purple Crocuses peeped through the grass in excited wonder from their winter sleep. The Berberris was bursting into fire-red blossom, and a great Arbutus was seen in triple bloom.

How one longed for Keats or Wordsworth in his "bliss of solitude"; for Herrich and his Julia, or Tennyson among the lotus eaters, for just expression of the sense of peace and beauty. How Horace, in his Sabine farm, far from the vulgar herd, the sordid bartering of city life, and the insane quarrels of men, would have envied us. How sweet the blue Falernian wine and how learned would be his letters on Botany to his friend Macenas had Horace annexed to his poppy fields these sumptuous gardens of soft colours and calm waters, the song of birds and pleasant spaces.

TCHITCHERIN THE MAN

Russia's Foreign Minister

SINCE the Genoa Conference, George Tchitcherin, the Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs, has become a prominent figure in the political and diplomatic world. Very little is known to the public of his antecedents or his activities before the revolution, and there are many rumours in circulation as to his origin, education, and position under the late Romanoff *régime*.

The family of Tchitcherin, or Cicerini, as they were called, dates back to Italy about the end of the 14th century, when the Italian Duchess, Sophie Paleoge, married John the Third, Tsar of Russia. By the way, it is worthy of note that during the Genoa Conference the Duchess Balbi of Genoa, who is a distant relative of Tchitcherin, gave a reception in his honour at her palace, at which many members of the old nobility were present.

A Famous Family.

For the past five centuries the descendants of the Tchitcherins have been generals, governors, and diplomats in all phases of Russian history. They all held liberal and democratic views, and as a consequence most of them suffered for their convictions. Under the reign of Catharine II. one of the Tchitcherins was Governor of Siberia, and his correspondence with that Empress, which is still in existence, only closed when she became, from his point of view, a reactionary. Another members of this interesting family is said to have strangled the Tsar Paul!

M. TCHITCHERIN.

The grandfather of the present Tchitcherin was a very wealthy nobleman and owned vast estates in Tamboy; he had seven sons, and to each of them at his death he left a large income. This gentleman, like most of his relations, was "up against" the then existing *régime*. He was of the type of nobleman described by Count Tolstoy in "War and Peace." His sons naturally shared his views, and the eldest, who was Governor-General of Moscow, was, because of a too liberal speech, politely "requested" to retire permanently to his estates. His wife, the Countess Kapinist, was a sister of the Russian Ambassador at Vienna, and it was at their house in Petrograd that Tchitcherin spent most of his early youth, and it was there he made his first acquaintance with diplomacy through the medium of Count Witte, Sanger, Plehve, and many other prominent diplomats.

A Great Linguist.

George Tchitcherin was born in 1872. His mother, Baroness Meyendorf, who comes of an old diplomatic family, was a great linguist, which gift her son has inherited; he speaks English, French, German, and Italian as fluently as Russian. On his mother's side he is related to Count Stackelberg, who was Ambassador at Vienna, and a brother of his mother, Baron Meyendorf, was Ambassador in Berlin, and afterwards in Paris. Tchitcherin's father was Russian Attaché in Turin; he was an admirer of Cavour, and a passionate follower of the movement in Italy. Just as he was on the eve of being appointed Russian Amabassador to Washington, he became entangled in a case affecting his personal honour, which should naturally have ended in a duel. He was, however, a disciple of some religious sect, which forbade duelling. Therefore, he refused to fight, and, relinquishing his post, retired to his estates. To prove that it was not lack of courage which prevented him fighting, he applied in the war of 1877 to be sent to the front, right into the firing line. Here his lungs became affected, and he died in 1882, when his son George was ten years old.

George Tchitcherin was brought up in wealthy surroundings, but the atmosphere of his parents' house was one of morbid pietism and mysticism. This atmosphere produced a peculiar effect on the boy, and had much to do with the early serious trend of his character—perhaps, also, it accounts for his later devotion to Marxism! In the exclusive *milieu* of his home he found neither playmates or social excitement; but his mother, however, was very charitable, and in that way he came in contact with the peasants and their children. This, no doubt, directed his thoughts towards sociology and reform—the ignorant Russian peasantry offer a wide scope to anyone who wishes to exercise his humanitarian tendencies.

Jekyll and Hyde.

When studying at the Petrograd University young Tchitcherin led a double life: his days were spent with his progressive fellow-students, steeping himself in Russian history and the political histories of other countries, as well as philology and Egyptology; while at night, in correct evening dress, he attended the exclusive receptions in the *salons* of his aunt, Princess Narishkina. After graduating at the Petrograd University Tchitcherin spent some time in Germany, where he continued his historical researches. His wide knowledge of the history of diplomacy, and especially of Russia's foreign relations, combined with his high social position, procured him an important post in the Foreign Office in Petrograd. Here he made good use of the opportunity to study thousands of diplomatic notes and political documents. But the family taint in his blood soon asserted itself, and, in 1904, owing to his too liberal views, his services were dispensed with and his name struck off the roll of the Foreign Office.

During the Russo-Japanese war in 1905, Tchitcherin officially entered the Russian Social-Democratic Party, and took charge of its Foreign Bereau in Berlin. Here he was discovered to be mixed up with some secret societies, and was arrested. The police let him off with a slight fine, but the incident prevented his return to Russia, and from that time he became a political refugee, living mostly in Berlin, Geneva, and Paris until 1914, when he found himself in London.

In London he was only known to a few who were identified with the Russian Social-Democratic Party. At that time the different political groups of Russian refugees in London and provinces were disorganised, and most of them were in dire distress. Tchitcherin founded a society known as the Russian Delegates' Committee. It was quite legitimate and constitutional, its aim being to assist financially those who were destitute, the first honorary president being Dr. Hagberg Wright, of the London Library.

Arrest in London.

After the Bolshevist revolution Tchitcherin was arrested for his anti-war attitude, imprisoned for a time in Brixton, and finally deported to Russia. He went straight to Petrograd, where he was at once appointed "People's Commisary" for Foreign Affairs, which post he has held ever since.

Tchitcherin does not conform either in appearance or manner to the popular idea of a Bolshevik. Even those who differ widely from him in politics are obliged to admit his personal charm, and that, although a thorough diplomat, he is the simplest and most unobtrusive man it is possible to meet. There is a story told that on his arrival in Genoa to attend the Conference he had to go out hastily to buy a shirt, not having come provided with a second one! He is an indefatigable worker; there is a tradition in Moscow that he never sleeps more than two hours out of the twenty-four. All appointments with him must be made in the early hours of the morning, never before 2 a.m. Mrs. Sheridan, the English sculptress, who went to Russia to make casts of the heads of the principal members of the Government, wished to do Tchitcherin also. When she asked for an interview she was informed that the only free time he could give her would be a few minutes at 3 a.m.! This was evidently an inconvenient hour for the lady.

Tchitcherin is at present in Poland on an economic mission working on the reconciliation of that country with Russia.

J. D. CLIFFORD.

Commerce has become a very complex science, and to attain success therein it must be studied as a science.—Lord Aberconway.

NOT SO BAD AS THAT!

"You know, Mrs. Brown," said a lady canvasser who called at a humble cottage, "it is we women who have helped to make England what it is to-day."

"Well, I suppose you're right, mum; but I didn't think we were quite so bad as all that."

If we are to have healthy drama, we must have a healthy people.—St. John Ervine.

LITERARY VAGABONDS.

The Call of the Wild—"Boston Slim"—The Tragedy of Thompson.

(BY JOHN McCAFFREY.)

MANY of the greatest works in literature have been written by men and women who lived free from the trammels of convention. These artistic souls could not thrive in uncongenial surroundings. They pined for freedom. Some of them went to sea, others took to the open road, and others retired to the solitudes of the forest. Their different temperaments required either an active or a placid existence. Those who revelled in exciting adventures adopted the former mode of life, while the introspective, philosophical writers adopted the latter. Their experiences are recorded in their books.

To my mind, one of the most interesting and one of the most tragic nomads was Frances Jenning, whose book, "A Tour in a Donkey Cart," was published in 1921. This extraordinary girl was born in 1885. She was a student of art at the Slade School, but at the age of 25 she had a stroke of paralysis. Following her illness she had a remarkable career. She migrated from Bloomsbury to Chelsea and from Chelsea to Limehouse. Eventually, tiring of her sordid surroundings, she bought a donkey and cart, with which she set out on her rambles through the southern and western counties of England. She slept in fields and barns, though occasionally she was the guest of a wealthy farmer or a literary man. Tramps and gipsies and country folk were unfailingly kind to this unconventional girl, who must certainly have excited their curiosity by her wit, her learning, her beauty, and her sack cloth clothes, which she herself cut and painted. Finally she went back to Chelsea, where the prospect of an invalid's caged existence appalled her, and caused her mental powers to give way. She died by her own hand in 1915, at the early age of 30. Truly a tragic ending for such a gifted soul!

Stephen Reynolds, who attained literary fame as the Devonshire longshoreman, died a few years ago in the late thirties. He could not bear the trammels of conventional English middle-class life, with its narrow outlook. He loved the simple fisher folk of the South coast. He lived with them, worked with them, and he died amongst them. His was, indeed, a strange existence. He loved the sea and the fisherman's life. His books give us a wonderful insight into the lives of humble fisher folk.

Jack London.

Jack London, the American novelist, who wrote such wonderful original novels on every conceivable topic, is another example of the literary vagabond. He once wrote that he went on the road because, "I couldn't keep away from it; because I hadn't the price of the railroad fare in my jeans; because I was so made that I couldn't work all my life on 'one same shift'; because—well, just because it was easier to than not to." In his tramps through America Jack London met many extraordinary "stiffs," whom he has immortalised in his books. In "Martin Eden" he describes his early adventures at sea and on the road.

W. H. Davies, the poet and essayist, confessed that if he had not been cursed with ambition to excel in literature, he would have remained a beggar to the end of his days. He was born in Monmouthshire in 1872. At the age of 21 he went to America. Not finding congenial work, he became a tramp. He varied the monotony of tramping by stealing free rides on freight trains with kindred knights of the road known as "Boston Slim" and "Frisky Shorty." Occasionally he worked, but finding begging such an easy means of existence he avoided manual labour as much as possible. However, a bad accident, in which he lost the left leg below the knee, brought his adventurous career as a nomad to a close. He returned to England, and started as a literary man with "a cotton shirt, a pair of stockings, a handkerchief, and the sum of £2." He lived in Rowton Houses, Salvation Army Shelters, and fourpenny doss-houses. In these uncongenial places he wrote plays, essays, and poems. None of these succeeded. He was then compelled to take to the road again as a pedlar. Sometimes he was reduced to his last crust, and then he had to beg. All the time, however, he was consumed with the ambition to become an author. Finally, he produced a book of poems. So great an authority as George Bernard Shaw welcomed him as a real poet. He then wrote "The Autobiography of a Super-Tramp," to which Mr. Shaw contributed a preface.

Clark Russell and Graham.

W. Clark Russell, whose sea-faring stories are well known, was a sailor, until ill-health compelled him to retire. He then devoted himself to writing those delightful yarns of love and adventure on the sea. Frank T. Bullen and Joseph Conrad were also sailors in their early manhood.

J. E. Patterson, who wrote "My Vagabondage," which he described as "the intimate autobiography of a Nature's nomad," was born at Deepcar, Yorkshire, in October, 1866. He ran away from home at the early age of 13. He was a sailor, a tramp, a miner, and a labourer. Chronic rheumatism compelled him to seek a sedentary post. He became a clerk, and then a journalist. Finally, he decided to write books and novels, describing his adventures as a vagabond. Those which he published were well received by the critics.

Stephen Graham has been an inveterate literary tramp all his life. At the age of 23 he set out on a tour through Russia with the sum of £15. He has tramped through various parts of the world, and has embodied the results of his experiences in a series of highly entertaining books.

Robert W. Service, who was at one time a bank clerk in Glasgow, has had a very adventurous career. Emigrating to Canada, he was a tramp, farmer, journalist, lumberman, and trader. He then decided to revert to his original profession, and he became a bank clerk in Klondyke. In his spare time he began to write poetry. His best known books are "Rhymes of a Rolling Stone" and the "Songs of a Sourdough."

Patrick MacGill, the young Irish novelist, who was born at Glenties in 1890, was also "down on the dead end," as he expressively terms it. His early youth was, indeed, a hard one. He was a farm labourer and navvy. But before he was 21 he had become famous as the "navvy poet." He is now better known as a novelist. His books depict life in all its stark reality.

Robert Louis Stevenson spent a few years as a literary vagabond. To these rambles we owe his inimitable "Rambles with a Donkey in the Cevennes." George Borrow was also a nomad. In "Lavengro" and "The Romany Rye" he describes many of his adventures on the road. Sir Walter Scott had a penchant for tramping, but his lameness prevented him from undertaking long journeys.

A Pathetic Figure.

However, Francis Thompson is one of the most pathetic figures in the history of literary vagabonds. He was born in Preston in 1859. His parents desired him to become a priest. However, his ecclesiastical superiors did not consider him suitable for the Church. He then took up the study of medicine, but, failing to qualify, he joined the Army. After a short period of service he was discharged owing to ill-health. He drifted to London, where he was obliged to sell newspapers and laces for a living. He also held horses and hailed cabs for odd coppers. Sometimes he earned enough to pay for a bed in a doss-house, but there were many nights when he was compelled to sleep in archways or on the Embankment. Like De Quincey, he was befriended by an outcast woman, and, like De Quincey, he endeavoured to find her when he became wealthy and famous. When Thompson was discovered as a poet he was in a terrible state. A friend who met him wrote that he "was more ragged and unkempt than the average beggar, with no shirt beneath his coat, and bare feet in broken shoes." His poems, with their sublime imagery, soon attracted considerable attention. They were recognised as the work of a genius. When he died, in 1907, George Meredith sent a wreath bearing the words: "A true poet, one of the small band."

GOLF TOPICS.

The Professionals' Aggregates.

I HAVE before me the leading aggregates for the eight monthly competitions of the Leinster Branch of the Irish Professional Golfers' Association. The competitions were played at Portmarnock, The Hermitage, Milltown, Dun Laoghaire, The Grange, The Castle, Woodbrook, and Royal Dublin, and culminated, after a remarkably keen finish, in the Irish Professional Champion, James Martin, beating M. O'Neill for first place by the smallest possible margin, their respective figures being 1257 and 1258. Apart from the figures of the leaders, the table furnishes extremely interesting reading and material for an interesting comparison.

The relative merits of Portmarnock and Royal Dublin as tests of golf have often been discussed in our club-houses, and while Portmarnock would seem to be the more popular, many discriminating golfers regard the Dollymount links in relation to the other as a very formidable rival; in fact, I have frequently heard them say of Royal Dublin that it provided the better test of golfing skill, Portmarnock being described as an ideal links for the long hitter and good putter.

The average golfer probably would do better at the Baldoyle links than at the Bull, where the ball lies so close, and the approaches to the smaller and well-guarded greens demand not a little skill to get on to them. That, however, is only the view of a novice. As to the relative merits of the two courses there will always be a diversity of opinion, even among golfers of wide experience.

But if the scores registered at Portmarnock and Royal Dublin by the professionals in their monthly competitions are to be taken as a reliable guide, the palm must be awarded to Portmarnock. In looking over the scores I find that the best aggregate at Portmarnock for the 36 holes was P. Connor's 172; that Martin, M. O'Neill, and M. McDermott each took 176, and J. Gaffney 178, these being the leading returns for the day. The comparison of these figures with those for Dollymount show that the professors found it easier to do good scores at Royal Dublin, for W. Holley went round in 146, M. O'Neill and J. Gaffney in 154, McDermott in 155, and Martin in 156. The weather at Portmarnock, if I remember right, was, however, rather trying, but looking at the wide discrepancy between the best aggregates for the two courses, and even after taking the conditions into account, one finds in these figures something to reflect upon.

The aggregates for the other courses make just as interesting reading. At Dun Laighaire, for instance, Holley registered the lowest score for 36 holes made in the entire series by holing in 140, or eight strokes less than Martin and J. O'Neill, who tied for second prize. To tie with Holley for first prize at Milltown the local man, Martin, had to return 151, M. O'Neill being two strokes worse, but the Hermitage scores were not so good. Here J. Sullivan was twice round in 156, the aggregates of Martin, M. O'Neill, and Holley being 159.

The nine-hole links, Grange and Woodbrook, stood the test right well. To win at the first-named M. O'Neill finished one better than T. Gaffney, with 159, J. Sullivan's third prize score being 161; while at Woodbrook M. O'Neill, the winner, could do no better than 152. In instituting comparisons on the basis of these scores one has to make allowance for the conditions prevailing on the days of the different competitions and the nature of the different courses; but unless the weather is exceptionally severe it does not affect the golf of our professionals to a great extent.

The series was a sort of championship, and, as stated, only one stroke separated Martin and M. O'Neill at the close of the eight months' tournament, a circumstance that should invest the pending match between the two with an added interest. But the aggregates disclose another interesting fact. Had Holley not disqualified himself at the Grange he would have had no difficulty in leaving both Martin and O'Neill far in the rear in the final list. At the Grange M. O'Neill won with 159. If the Castle man had returned a card of 174, and played the remaining competitions in the way he did he would still have come out on top, leading by one stroke. There was no score worse than 174 that day at the Grange, and one cannot imagine Holley finishing away at the bottom in any stroke competition.

The principal aggregates for the eight competitions were as follow. Only the seven named played in the whole series:—J. Martin, 1,257; M. O'Neill, 1,258; J. Sullivan, 1,231; M. M'Dermott, 1,296; J. Gaffney, 1,297; B. Mahony, 1,324; T. Gaffney 1,331.

This season the Ulster clubs organised a series of matches in which the best amateur of a club partnered the club professional. They provided a most interesting and enjoyable competition. The idea has caught on in Dublin, and it has been suggested by several well-known amateurs who have been playing in ordinary "friendlies" of the same type recently that it would be a good thing for amateur and professional golf in the capital if a properly organised competition on similar lines were held in Dublin in January or February, when little or no serious golf is played. Heretofore these amateur-professional matches on our Dublin links have been confined to fourballs, but the players taking part in them have seemingly tired of what one of the professionals described as those "rough and tumble" affairs, and for the suggested competition they are more favourably disposed towards the foursome. I hear that certain people are to be approached in the hope that decent prizes may be procured for the competition, which it is proposed to hold on the knock-out principle.

TRAVELLER.

TOO OLD AT SEVENTY.

IN view of the deaths recently reported in the Press, where the deceased were, in each case, well over one hundred years of age, we may take pleasing pause and ask ourselves if we are old at three score and ten—man's allotted span.

It is an axiom with us nowadays that we are only the age we feel; but when I was a boy I used to think that 70 years was a very sufficient spell of this world. Indeed, I often wondered why anybody could grumble at such a liberal allowance of life, and for my part I would not have hesitated to give up my claim to the odd ten years, as the old gold sellers did long ago at the Diggings when they threw the odd ounces into the bargain.

Of course, as I have said, that was in my boyhood, when I was too far from what I was dealing with so generously to be able to understand anything about it. Of course I know better now. I am heterodox enough to imagine that three score and ten might have suited the Israelites well enough when they were wandering aimlessly in the desert; but I am very much of opinion now that Moses, stating the limit in his prayer in print, made no allowance at all for us. In fact, to my mind, this period in itself is objectionable, inasmuch as it is not a period at all, but more like a semicolon. It is not even an even number, which is odd, more resembling a half-way house than anything else. I can assure my readers that it makes me uncomfortable to hear very many so-called wise people talking of three score and ten, as if they thought it highly improper to fly in the face of Moses.

Evidently at present no one can set bounds to the term of human life, although men of science, in the majesty of their wisdom, may endeavour to strike a mean, but that, too, may differ in different localities even in the same country as we have lately seen. Even in more remote times, Parr himself was only a juvenile when Jenkins, his countryman, died in Yorkshire at the age of 169. To me it appears strange that after one hundred, nature herself appears to be striving, with more or less success, to attain some fixed point in respect of the age limit.

I hope my readers will not run away with this as a fact—I merely throw out the suggestion for the benefit of some distressed theorist out of employment. It will, I hope, be at least as good as the question of the great perfectibility of man, which disturbed the philosophy of a few years ago, but which unluckily appears to have been washed out of discussion by the torrential eloquence of men of science. For my own part, and I am not speaking in a tone of levity, for I am not too young, I hope we may all get beyond that allotted period of three score and ten; but if we do we must attend to the regulation, not only of the senses, but of the affections. When a man becomes old, in the common term of the word, he dies very soon—old Parr was but a middle aged individual when approaching 140. If the case were otherwise, I, for one, would look upon the new term of life promised to us by the wise men of our time—especially when a person dies at an advanced age—as a misfortune.

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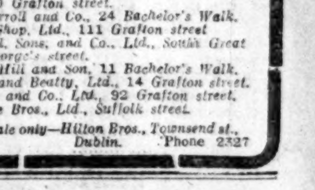

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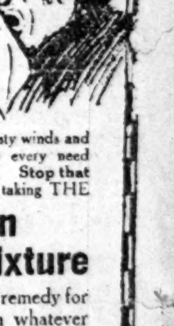

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

STRONG AND CHEERFUL WEEK-END CLOSING. IRISH LAND STOCKS GOOD. RAILS UNCERTAIN. TEXTILE, TOBACCO, AND OIL STRENGTH. MARCONIS BETTER. RADIOS OFFERED.

The general investment basis of securities has been strengthened by the result of the British General Election just held, and consequently all likely stocks and shares again displayed distinct strength. The Funds were strongly bid for, with Irish Land Stocks particularly good. Bank Stock was unchanged. Other Bank shares were quite idle. Breweries and Distilleries were quietly supported at last prices. There was a much better tone for Marconi shares without any shares changing hands until the later market, when 46s. 9d. was paid. The current unsettled elements naturally hold Home Railway stocks in check. Great Northern and Midland Great Western were both easier. Tram were practically neglected. Dunlop Rubbers were again wanted for London account. Parent Tyres remain dull and mostly idle. Tobacco shares were very firmly supported all day at slightly higher levels. Textiles were very firm, with general bidding for leading shares. Lever Bros. remain very steady, and Vickers scored a fresh advance. Iron and Steel shares are spoken of favourably in regard to trade outlook. Burkes were supported at the previous day's enhanced level. Oils show quite a substantial rally. Radio shares remain flat in tone and price.

There was no mistaking the favourable trend of British Government Funds. Consols rose a further ⅛ to 57⅞. War Loan 3½ p.c. to 95⅛, do. 5 p.c. ⅛ to 99⅛, after touching 99⅝; Conversion 3½ p.c. ⅛ to 76⅞; Irish Land 2¾ p.c. 1 to 59, and do. 3 p.c. 1¼ to 64. An odd lot of Funding Loan fetched 87, or ⅛ under last marking.

Dealing in Banks was confined to Bank of Ireland Stock, which repeated 230½, but later in the day a few Royals quoted 11⅞.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness Ord. repeated 44⅞, the Pref. 11½, and J. Power and Son Pref. 20s.

Grand Canal Pref. shares were again called 78s. buyers.

Marconi Ord. were strong, and about 1s. better at 46s. 3d. to 47s., nominally, and at the afternoon market realised 46s. 9d. Radio Preferred quoted 13s. 7½d., the Ord. 17s. 9d., and Canadian Marconis 10s. Marconis New Debs. £39 paid were busy at 41⅞, ⅞, 42.

Among Home Rails, Dublin and South-Eastern rose ¼ further to 16½, but Great Northern Ord. fell ¼ to 62½, and Midland Great Western ½ to 27⅛. Great Southern and Western Debs. again realised 71, the previous day's enhanced level.

In Trams, Anglo-Argentine First Pref. realised 72s. 6d.

Dunlops again closed firm. Dunlop Rubber rose 3d. to 9s. 1½d., and Parent Tyre Ord. repeated 15s.

In Gas, Alliance and Dublin Consumers fell 1/16 to 6¾.

Manufacturing shares were all in request, and closed with an upward tendency. British-American Tobacco rose 7½d. to 88s., Imperials 3d. to 69s. 7½d., Coats 7½d. to 67s., Courtaulds 6d. to 58s., Cottons 9d. to 46s. 6d., and Spinners 6d. to 41s. 6d. x.d.; while the Pref. of the latter realised 19s. x.d. and the Preferred Ord. 18s. for odd lots. Vickers rose 4½d. to 14s., 14s. 3d. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. repeated 19s. 9d., and later 19s. 10½d., and the 8 p.c. Pref. rose 1½d. also to 19s. 10½d. Calico Printers Ord. show no change at 22s. 3d. Condensed Milk 4 p.c. Debs. (£10), last quoted at 5⅞, were held for 6.

In Trading, etc., Burke Ord. repeated 70s., and the Debs. were again bid for at 8¼, with no shares apparently on offer.

Other business done included Mexican Eagle Oils, which rose 3s. to 55s., and the Pref. quoted 18s. 6d. Shells improved 2s. 4½d. to 85s. 3d., 85s. 6d. Anglo-Persian realised 5⅛, and Kern River Oil 18s. 9d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked "c."

Consols	......(57⅞) 57⅞	Parent Ord.	...(15/-) 15/-
3½% War Ln.	(95⅛) 95⅛	Dunlops	...(8/10½) 9/1½
5% War Loan		Alliance Gas	...(6⅞) 6¾
	(99⅛) 99⅛ ⅛ ⅛ 87	B.A.T.	...(88/-) 88/7½
Funding Loan (87⅛)		Do. Pref.	...(19/6) 19/6c
Conver. Loan	(76⅞) 76⅞	Imp. Tob.	..(69/4½) 69/7½
5½% Exch. Bonds	..103⅛	Calicos	......(22/3) 22/3
War Bonds, 1925	..104⅛	Coats	......(66/4½) 67/-
War Bonds, 1928	..105⅛	Courtaulds	...... 58/-
Car. Land	......(64) 64	Con. Milk Deb. (5⅞) 6a	
Land Act	 59	Cottons	......(45/9) 46/6
3% Land Act	 64	Spinners	......(41/-) 41/6
Bank of Ireland		Do. Pref.	...(x.d.)...19/-
	(230½) 230½c	Lever 7% Pref.	
Royal	......(11⅞) 11⅞		...(19/9) 19/9 /10½
Guinness	......(44⅞) 44⅞	Do. 8% ..(19/9) 19/10½	
Do. Pref.	...(11½) 11½	Vickers	
Power Pref.	...(20/-) 20/-		(13/10½) 14/- 14/3
Marconi	...(46/9) 46/9	Burke Ord.	...(70/-) 70/-
Do. Debs. (£39 paid)		Do. Deb.	......(8) 8¼b
	41⅞ ⅞ 42	Dockrell Deb.	...(6⅞) 6⅞a
Do. Canada	...... 10/-	Parkes Pref.	...(13/-) 13/-
Radio Pref.	......13/7½	Anglo-Persian Oil	...... 5⅛
D.S.E. Ord.	...(16¼) 16½	Mex. Eagle	...(52/-) 55/-
G.N. Ord.	......(62¾) 62½	Do. 7% Pref.	...... 18/6
Do. Pref.	......(62) 63½b	Kern River Oil	...... 18/9
M.G.W. Ord.	...(28) 27⅛	Shells	..(83/1½) 85/3 5/6
G.S.W. Deb.	......(71) 71		
Anglo-Arg. Tram 1st Pf.			
	72/6		

*Odd lot; b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

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Discount	4 p.c. 13th July.
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STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day	Nov. 27	Dec. 11
General contango day	Nov. 28	Dec. 12
Ticket day	Nov. 29	Dec. 13
Account day	Nov. 30	Dec. 14

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange was dull. War Loan Inscribed brought 99 1/16, 99⅛, registered 99 1/16. Great Northern Railway Stock lower at 62½. Coats Ord. firm at 66s. 10½d. to 67s. York street Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref. repeated 21s. Inglis and Co. Ord. advanced 6d. to 47s. 6d. Mitchell and Co. (Belfast) 5½ p.c. Pref. advanced ¼ to 5½. Cuthbert, W. M., and Co. Ord. unchanged at 25s. Dunlop Rubber firm at 9s. 1½d. White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord. improved 6d. to 22s. 6d. Marconis Debs. 2¼ prem. and 2⅜ prem.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Market busier. Singers in brisk demand. Rovers firmer. Rolls Royce and Standards easier. Dunlops bought in anticipation of annual report. Austins, 2/6; Belsize, 4/6; Components, 9/3; S.T.D., 7/6; Enfields, 30/6; Humbers, 21/6; Napiers, 6/9; Rolls, 24/-; Rovers, 20/10½; Singers, 23/9; Swifts, 13/3; Triumphs, 32/6; Vauxhalls, 7/3; Dunlops, 9/3; Parent Deferred, 26/3; Harper Bean, 1/4½; Standards, 36/6.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles very firm, good buying of Bleachers. Bleachers, 42/-42/6; Pref., 21/-21/6; Calico, 22/-22/6; Pref., 16/6-17/-; Dyers, 44/-44/6; Pref., 19/6-19/9; Cottons, 46/-47/-; Pref., 19/3-19/9; Spinners, 41/-41/6; Pref., 19/6-19/9; Slubbers, 8/6-8/9; Coats, 66/-67/-; Ship Canal, 5¼-½; Pref., 6¼-½; Velvets, 26/-26/6.

SHARP BREAK IN COTTON.

A New York Thursday's telegram reports—Cotton to-day broke 100 points on heavy general selling, due to reports of a sharp falling off in the trade demand. Another unsettling influence was the weak Stock market.

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RISING STOCKS.

A BUOYANT TENDENCY.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT AND THE "FINANCIAL NEWS" OF TO-DAY.)

Expectations have been verified in so far as the result of the General Election has had the effect of imparting a much better appearance to the Stock markets. Quotations were generally advanced yesterday in all departments, and a very buoyant tendency was maintained throughout the session. Several Stocks, however, finished below the best owing to the apathy of the public. Dealers who had imagined that business would sharpen up considerably on the political situation were sadly disappointed. The volume of buying orders, though larger than of late, was still comparatively small. As one member of the House observed, the majority of people have not yet finished congratulating themselves upon the election result. Another opinion may conceivably be the better one—the public are waiting possibly to see what effect the result may have upon the markets. However that may be, there is no doubt about the markets being in excellent fettle.

LONDON STOCKS STRONG.

A RUSH OF BUYING.

The result of the General Election, together with the recovery in foreign exchanges, was sharply reflected on the Stock markets yesterday, and quotations were advanced all round day, in the expectation that more settled conditions would lead to an increased demand. This expectation was in part realised, for there was a rush to buy. The tone at the close was rather easier, but this had little effect on prices. The gilt-edged market was very firm, though Consols were unchanged. The 5 p.c. War Loan rose ⅛ to 99⅞, the 4 p.c. rose ⅛ to 102¼, Funding Loan at 87½ was ⅛ better. The Conversion Loan at 76½ rose ¼; Irish Land Stock at 59 also gained ½. Local Loans at 65 rose ½, and India 7 p.c. Loan rose 1 to 111.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were very good. French Loans were unchanged, but Italian Rentes rose ⅛ to 21½. Brazilians rose all round. The 4 p.c. was 1 higher at 42, the Funding 1908 gained ½ at 78, and the Funding of 1914 rose 2 to 64. Chinese Fives, 1896, gained 1 to 94 and the 4½ p.c. 1 to 84. Japanese New Fives gained a point at 85. Peruvian Corporation rose ¼ to 4½ and the Debs. 1 to 89.

HOME RAILS were steady and changes were favourable, but business was not very active. Great Eastern at 38, Great Northern Def. at 43¾, and Midland Def. at 67½ each gained ½. Undergrounds were good. Metropolitan at 59½ and Districts at 43 both rising ½. Great Western at 106½ rose ½, as did London and North-Western at 102½.

In COLONIAL and FOREIGN RAILS business was good. Argentines continued very firm. "B.A.G.S." gained ½ at 65½, Pacifics 1½ at 78, Westerns 2 at 81, and Centrals ½ at 76½. Argentine Great Western Ord. rose 1 to 77. Bahia Blanca at 72 gained a point; Leopoldina rose 2 to 37 and United of Havana ½ to 69. Mexican National 2nd Pref. fell ½ to 3, Americans were very quiet, Erie Pref. fell 1 to 19½ and Missouri 1 to 9.

OIL SHARES CHEERFUL.

BUSINESS IMPROVING.

Cheerfulness continued to characterise the Oil share market yesterday, and business in this department showed a further improvement, with indications of a broadening of interest. Leading shares made a steady start, and bidding was soon in progress for Shells and Mexican Eagles, the latter being in demand on Paris as well as local account, in response to which the quotations advanced. Best prices were not maintained to the close, however, for Paris turned a seller of its favourites in the afternoon, and while Shells closed without alteration, Mexican Eagles registered a small loss. Anglo-Persians hardened, but Burmahs failed to hold an initial gain. Royal Dutch were a steady market throughout the day, these shares benefiting from the improvement in Continental exchanges. In other directions strong features were provided by Venezuelan descriptions, which is not altogether surprising, having regard to the active development which is proceeding in Venezuela by the Shell and Standard interests and also the British Controlled Oilfields. A feature of the oil produced in Venezuela is its high quality, especially in regard to its petrol contents. V.O.C. Holdings were particularly prominent, a further sharp advance occurring in both the Ord. and Pref. shares. The demand for these shares is attributable to a report that the company has recently brought in a new well, No. 1 Las Flores, in the Maracaibo area. The British Controlled issues also received active attention and further advanced. Although business remained small, Trinidad descriptions developed a harder tendency, gains being registered by Leaseholds and United British. Roumanian issues moved within narrow limits and showed little alteration at the close. Closing prices:

1⅛	Agwi Petroleum	1⅛	1⅛ x r + 1/16
4⅛	Anglo-American	4⅛	4⅛ + 1/32
22/4½	Anglo-Ecuadorian "B"	23/9	24/3
1⅛	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅛	1⅛ + 1/16
23/9	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	24/1½	24/7½
26/0	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	26/0	26/6
5⅛	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	5⅛	5⅛ + 1/32
92½	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	92	93
2⅛	Apex Trinidad	2⅛	2¼
	Brit Borneo Pet. (10/-)	⅛	⅛
9/6	British Burmah (8/-)	9/0	9/6 +0/6
8/6	British Controlled	10/3	11/0 +0/6
9/9	Do. Pref.	5⅛	5⅛ xd
5⅛	Burmah	25/0	25/6 −0/1½
25/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	1/1½	1/4½
1/3	Caltex	⅛	⅛
	Dacia Romano	5⅛	5⅛
5⅛	Eagle Transport	99⅛	100⅛
100	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	100⅛	101⅛
101⅛	Do Bearer	3/6	4/0
—	General Pet. Trinidad	3/6	4/6
4/0	Indo Burmah	18/6	19/0 +0/1½
18/6	Kern River (10/-)	5⅛	5⅛
5⅛	Lobitos	2⅛	2⅛ − 1/16
2⅛	Mexican Eagle	2⅛	2⅛
2⅛	Do. Pref.	18/7½	18/11½ −0/1½
18/3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	4⅛	4⅛
13/6	North Caucasian (10/-)	1/3	1/9
—	Oilfields Egypt	4/3	4/9
—	Peru Syndicate	25/10½	26/4½ +0/1½
25/1½	Phoenix	2/0	2/6 +0/1½
2/3	Premier Oil	13/3	13/9 +0/3
12/3	Rumanian Consolidated	36½	37 + ⅛
36	Royal Dutch	1/0	1/3
1/1½	Scottish American	4⅛	4⅛
4⅛	Shell Transport	9⅛	9⅛ − ⅛
9⅛	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	23/3	23/9
23/3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	5/0	5/6
5/1½	Spies (10/-)	9/3	10/3
6/6	Steaua Romana	4/3	4/9
4/7½	Tankers Pref	1⅛	1⅛
1⅛	Trinidad Central	1⅛	1⅛ + 1/32
1⅛	Trinidad Lease	⅛	⅛ + 1/32
⅛	United Brit Trinidad	⅛	⅛
⅛	Ural Caspian	⅛	⅛
⅛	Uroz Oil	8/1½	8/7½
7/10½	V.O.C. Holdings	13/3	13/9 +1/0
11/10½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	13/3	13/9 +1/0

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

CHLORIDE ELECTRICAL STORAGE.—Interim dividend of 5 p.c., free of tax, on Ord.

BRITISH AND CHINESE CORPORATION.—Dividend at rate of 15 per cent., less tax.

LICHFIELD BREWERY.—Dividend of 1/3 per share on Ordinary, free of tax.

ROYAL SOVEREIGN STEAMSHIP.—Final dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

JAMES NIMMO AND CO.—Dividend on Ordinary of 10 per cent., free of tax.

LA CONCORDIA ESTANCIA.—Further dividend of 7½ per cent.

LONDON NITRATE.—Dividend of 1/6 per share for the year.

SHORTS, LTD.—Interim dividend of 10/- per share on Def.-Ord. for the year, less tax.

WALDORF HOTEL.—Interim dividend of 7 1-5d. per share.

JOKAI ASSAM TEA.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary for the year.

SLATERS, LTD.—Dividend of 5 per cent. on Ordinary Shares.

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN BANK.—Dividend of 10/- per share, free of tax, making, with the interim dividend, 15 p.c. for the year.

NORTH CHESHIRE BREWERY CO.—Dividend of 10 p.c. actual on "A" and "B" Shares; £8,758 forward.

ENGLISH AND SCOTTISH AND COLONIAL INVESTMENT.—Dividend of 3 per cent. on Non-Cum. Part. Pref. Shares.

EAST INDIA TRAMWAYS.—Dividend of 5 per cent. on Ord., 7½ per cent. on Def. Shares for the year.

LLOYD'S PACKING WAREHOUSES.—Final dividend on Ord. of 5 per cent., also a bonus of 5 per cent. for the year.

BRITISH ELECTRIC TRACTION.—Interim dividend of 3 per cent. on 6 per cent. Cum. Part. Pref. Stock and of 2 per cent. on Ordinary Stock.

NORTH BRITISH RAILWAY.—The following has been received from the North British Railway Company:—Those dividends for 1920 declared, but unpaid, will be paid on and after December 18. Dividends for the year 1921 on those Pref. Stock and Prefd. Ord. on which no declaration was made at the annual general meeting now declared at full rates. Also dividend at 1 p.c. per annum declared on Defd. Ord., all payable on and after December 18.

A Geneva Correspondent reports that the increase of postal rates is seriously threatening the Swiss picture postcard industry.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	57-58	5½% TreasB.	104¼-105¼
War Ln 3½%	95-96	IrishLnd2¾%	58-60 + ⅛
do. 4½%	94⅛-95⅛	India 3%	64⅛-65⅛
do. 5%	99⅛-99⅛ + ⅛	do. 3½%	64-65
do. 4%	102-102⅛ + ⅛	do. 5½%	98⅛-99⅛
Fund'g L'n	87-88 + ⅛	do. 7%	110-12 + 1
Victory Bds	88⅛-89⅛	Local Loans	64⅛-65⅛ + ⅛
4½% Conv. Ln.	76⅛-76⅛ + ⅛		

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½, 1943	89-91*	Nigeria 6%	110-112*
Aust Com. 5½%	99-101*	Q'sland 4, 1940-50	82-4
do. 6%	105-107 + 1	do. 4½, 1920-5	95-7 + 1
Brit. Col 4½, 1941	92-94*	do. 6% 1930-40	104-6
Canada 4%	87-89*	S. Africa 4% Cns.	87-89
do. 4½ 1920-5	99-100*	do. 6%	104-106*
Cape 3½ Cons.	77-79	S. A'stl'n 4, '40-60	84-86
Ceylon 6%	107-9	do. 5, 1921-3	99-101*
Natal 3½, '34	79-81	do. 5½%	99-101*
N.S.W. 4, 1922-7	99-101*	do. 6½%	107-9
do. 5½% 1922-7	99-101*	Victoria 4, 1940-60	85-7
do. 5½% 1922-32	100-102	do. 6½% 1923-5	101-3*
do. 6½% 1930-40	107-9	W. Aust'n 4% '42-62	84-6
N. Zeal'd 4, '29	94-6	do. 5½% 1930-40	102-104

FOREIGN BONDS.

99½	Argentine, 1886	98	100	
86	Do. 5 p.c., 1907	84	87	
41	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	41	43	+1
76	Do. Funding, 1908	77	79	+ ½
60⅞	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	63	65	+2
93	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	93	95	+1
82⅞	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	83	85	+1
72	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	71	73	
69	Egyptian Unified	68	70*	
27½	French Loan	28	30*	
20⅞	Do. 4 p.c.	22	24	
1⅛	German 3 p.c.	⅛	⅛	
20	Italian Rentes	20	22*	+ ½
104⅞	Japanese 4½ p.c. 1st	104	106	
90	Do. 4 p.c., 1905	89	92	
84	Do. New 5 p.c., 1907	84	86	+1
54⅛	Mexican 5 p.c., 1899	55	58	
66	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y Treas.	65	68	
4⅛	Peruvian Corporation	4⅛	4⅛	+ ¼
28⅞	Do. Pref.	29	30	
88	Do. Deb.	88	90	+1
26⅛	Portuguese 3 p.c.	25	27	
	Russian 4 p.c.	5	7	
10	Do. 5 p.c., 1906	8	11	
104	San Paulo 8 p.c.	104	106	
	Spanish 4 p.c.	73	75	
54⅛	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	54	56*	

HOME RAILS.

63	Brighton A	63	64	
13⅛	Caledonian Def. Ord.	14⅛	14⅞	
7⅛	Chatham Ord.	7⅛	8	
36⅛	Great Central Def.	7⅛	8⅛	
	Do Eastern	37⅛	38⅛	+ ⅛
88	Do Northern Pref.	68	69	
42	Do Def	43	44	+ ⅛
105	Do Western	106	107	+ ⅛
101⅛	L. and North Western	102	103	+ ⅛
	Do. 4½ p.c. Pref.	96	99*	
33	L. and S.-W. Def.	33	34	
	L. and S. W. New Pref.	97	100	
56	Metropolitan	59	60	+ ⅛
	Do 5 p.c. Pref.	93	95	
41⅛	Do District	42⅛	43⅛	+ ⅛
86⅞	Midland Def	67	68	+ ⅛
19	North British Def.	18	19⅛	
117⅞	North Eastern Con.	117⅛	118⅛	
	Do. 4½ p.c. Pref.	98	103	
31	South Eastern Def.	31⅛	32⅛	
	Do 5 p.c. Pref	96	99	
3	Underground Electric	3	3⅛	
87	Do Income Bonds	86	89	
103	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	103	105	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	111	113*	
—	Baltimore	50	52	
—	Chesapeake	78	80	
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	28	30	
—	Erie	12	14	
14	Do Pref	18	21	−1
—	Missouri	8	10	−1
—	New York, Ontario	23	25	
—	Southern Common	24	26	
26	Do Pref	68	70*	
—	Southern Pacific	100	103	
—	Union Pacific	156	159	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

12	Antofagasta	71	73	
—	Argentine G. W. Ord.	76	78	+1
—	Bahia Blanca	71	73	+1
—	Brazil Railway Common	⅛	1⅛	
84	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	84⅛	86⅛	+ ⅛
76⅛	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	77	79	+1⅛
79	Buenos Ayres and W.	80	82	+2
158⅛	Canadian Pacific	158	160	
74	Central Argentine	75⅛	77⅛	+ ⅛
42	Central Uruguay	19	21	
	Entre Rios	60	62	
	Do 5 p.c. Pref.		1	
	Grand Trunk	⅛	⅛	
	Do 4 p.c. Guaranteed	76	78	
	Do 1st Pref.	6	9	
	Do 2nd Pref.	3	5	
	Do 3rd Pref.	1⅛	2⅛	
	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	73	75	
35⅛	Leopoldina	36	38	+2
13	Mexican Rails	12⅛	13⅛	
26	Do 8 p.c. Pref	27	29	
18	Do 6 p.c. Pref	24	26	
3⅛	Mexican Nat 1st Pref	8	9	
111	Mexican Nat 2nd Pref	2⅛	3⅛	− ⅛
71	San Paulo Ord	110	113	
	United Havana	68	70*	+ ⅛

BANKS.

—	Agric'tural of Egypt	5⅛	5⅛
—	Anglo-South American	8	8⅛
—	Australasia	13⅛	13⅛
—	Bank New South Wales	33⅛	34⅛
—	Bank New Zealand (£1)	2⅛	2⅛
—	Barclays "A"	7⅛	7⅛
—	British of Foreign Trade	3	3⅛
—	British Overseas	5⅛	5⅛
—	Chartered of India	17⅛	17⅛
—	Canadian of Commerce	40⅛	42⅛*
—	Hong Kong	117	119
—	Lloyds	57/6	58/9 +0/3
—	London and Brazilian	15	16*
—	London City Midland	17	18
—	London, Westminster	17⅛	17⅛ + ⅛
—	National Prov. (£4p.)	10⅛	11
—	Standard South Africa	15⅛	15⅛
—	Union of Australia	13⅛	14

TELEGRAPHS.

23	Anglo-American Def.	22⅛	23⅛
2⅛	Marconi Ord.	2⅛	2⅛
2⅛	Do Pref	2	2⅛
1⅛	Do Marine	1⅛	1⅛
9/6	Do Canada	9/6	10/3
19/0	Radio Corporation	17/3	18/3 +0/3
13/6	Do Pref	13/3	13/9 +0/3

MISCELLANEOUS.

—	Aboukir Land	1	1⅛	
33/0	Aerated Bread	18	19*	
18⅞	Allianza Nit.	1⅛	1⅛	
1⅛	Allsopp £1 Shares	54	58	+1
52	Do 5 p.c. Pref	13/9	14/0	
13/7⅛	Amalgamated Cotton	3⅛	3⅛	
3⅛	Anglo-Argentine 1st	2⅛	2⅛	
52/0	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	2⅛	2⅛	
2⅛	Do Pref	⅛	1	
6/0	Argentine Northern Land	1⅛	1⅛	
1⅛	Do Southern Land	17/6	18/0	
16/6	Armstrong	16/3	17/3 +0/3	
18/0	Associated Cement	17/0	18/0 +0/3	
—	Do. Pref.	1	1⅛	
—	Bartholomay Pref.	1⅛	2	
92	Bass, Ratcliff Pref.	83	88	
35/3	Borax Con Def.	1⅛	1⅛	
—	British Glass	1/6	1/9	
24/6	British Portland Cement	23/6	25/6	
10/0	B.S.A.	9/9	10/3	
23/0	British Oil and Cake	1⅛	1⅛	
34/3	Brunner Mond	33/6	35/6*	
10/9	B N B Land	10/0	12/0*	
46	Brazilian Traction	46	48	
69	Brit Col Electric Rail	72	75	
—	Do 4½ p.c. Debs	85	88*	
43/0	Bryant and May	2⅛	2⅛ + 1/16	
41/9	Bleachers	2	2⅛	
86/6	Brit. Amer. Tobacco	88/0	90/0 + 1/0	
44/6	Bradford Dyers	2⅛	2⅛	
22/0	Calico Printers	21/9	22/9	
13/6	Cammell Laird	13/6	14/6	
16/6	Cargo Fleet	16/0	17/0	
65/9	Coats	3⅛	3⅛	
55/9	Courtaulds	2⅛	2⅛	
—	Court Line	32/3	33/3	
4/6	Crosse and Blackwell	4/0	5/0	
—	Cunard Ord	1⅛	1⅛	
—	De La Rue Deb.	100	101	
9/0	Dunlop Rubber	⅛	⅛	
107	Do Deb	106	108	
18/3	Dorman Long	18/3	19/3 + 0/6	
—	English Electric	14/3	16/0 + 0/3	
45/6	English Sewing Cotton	2⅛	2⅛	
40/6	Fine Spinners	2⅛	2⅛*	
15/4⅛	Forestal Land	⅛	⅛	
—	Furness Withy	1⅛	1⅛*	
—	General Electric Deb.	105	107	
442	Guinness	420	450	
—	Do Pref	115	120*	
—	Gramophone Ord	1⅛	1⅛*	
28/3	Harrods	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Hoyle Deb	106	107	
7⅛	Hudson's Bay Ord	7⅛	8⅛ + ⅛	
69/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord	69/3	70/9 + 0/3	
18/0	J. Brown	18/0	20/0	
—	Do (15/- paid)	12/6	14/6 + 0/6	
27/0	Lipton	4⅛	4⅛*	
4⅛	Lyons (J.)	8⅛	8⅛ + ⅛	
7⅛	Lautaro Nitrate	19/3	20/3	
19/6	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	104⅛	106⅛	
—	Do Debs	24/0	26/0	
25/0	Lagunas Nitrate	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	2⅛	2⅛ + ⅛	
3	Liverpool Nitrate	2⅛	2⅛ + 1/16	
1⅛	London Nitrate	25/9	26/3	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	1⅛	1⅛	
6/1⅛	Maypole Def	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Mond Nickel Pref.	1⅛	1⅛	
19	Mexican Trams	18	25	
75	Do Bonds	75	78	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	64	67	
15/3	Niger Pref	15/0	16/0 + 0/3	
14/6	Nobel Ord.	1⅛	1⅛	
18/3	Do. Pref.	1	1⅛	
—	Do. Def.	⅛	⅛	
1⅛	Parent Tyre Def.	1⅛	1⅛	
18/6	Do Ord.	⅛	⅛	
26/9	Pease and Partners	1⅛	1⅛	
—	P and O Def	290	310*	
—	Pekin Syndicate	⅛	⅛	
9/0	Platt Bros Ord.	42/9	43/9 + 0/3	
—	Royal Mail Ord	83	85*	
—	Rio Negro Lands	⅛	⅛	
19/0	Rolls Royce	18	19	
24/6	Rosario Nitrate	26/0	28/0	
27/0	Salt Union	1⅛	1⅛	
19/3	South Durham Steel	2⅛	2⅛	
47/6	San Paulo Tram Deb.	100	104	
101	South African Breweries	1⅛	1⅛	
32/6	Shawinigan Water Bonds	109	111	
122	Santa Rita Nitrate	1⅛	1⅛*	
1⅛	Santiago Nitrate	1⅛	1⅛*	
2⅛	Salar del Carmen	2⅛	2⅛*	
50/0	Siemens	1⅛	1⅛ − 1/16	
25/0	Smithfield Arg Meat	⅛	⅛	
—	Tarapaca Nitrate	11/0	12/0	
12/0	United Cold Storage	1⅛	1⅛	
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1⅛	
9/9	United Steel	9/6	10/6	
13/6	Vickers Ord.	13/3	14/3 + 0/3	
18/9	Van Den Berghs	4⅛	4⅛	
—	Do. Pref.	4⅛	5⅛	
—	Weardale C P O	⅛	⅛	

TEA SHARES.

Amalgamated Ordinary, 11⅛+⅛; Anglo-Ceylon Estates, 48/9+6d.; Assam, 65⅛-1⅛; Chargola, 26/7½-1½d.; Dooars, 54/6+2/-; Doom Dooma, 21⅛-⅛; L.I. and Ceylon, 30/4½+7½d.; Imperial Ord., 24/3+1/-; Jokai, 33-⅛; Lebong, 40/3-3d.

*Ex div. †Ex b.

DUBLIN AND SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY.

With reference to the reported unrest among employes of the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway, Mr. J. T. O'Farrell, Irish Secretary of the Railway Clerks' Association, told an *Irish Times* representative yesterday that a joint meeting of members of the National Union of Railwaymen and the Railway Clerks' Association will be held to-morrow at the Railwaymen's Hall, Grand Canal street, Dublin, at 5 p.m. Negotiations are proceeding between the management of the company and the representatives of the unions.

LONDON MINING MARKET STEADY.

VALUES MOVING UP.

Thanks mainly to the result of the election, a cheerful tendency was maintained in the Stock Exchange yesterday. The approach of the week-end, however, checked any great expansion of activity, and dealings were again mostly of a professional character. In the Mining market steadiness generally prevailed, and the demand for good-class shares was encouraged by the receipt of favourable advices from Paris. The French capital became more optimistic owing to the further improvement in the value of the franc, and, although the Cape was but a moderate supporter of its specialities, the trend of values was towards a higher level. With the approach of the dividend period operators are becoming very chary of being caught short, and real holders are encouraged to sit tight, so that dealings are conducted with extreme caution and quotations move within very narrow limits, as a rule. Central Mining and Rand Mines led the way, and Far Easterns participated in the advance to a greater extent than on previous days. The close was firm, and the market presented quite a cheerful appearance. Rhodesians generally were inclined to dulness. Chartered maintained their position, but Cam and Motor were easier, and Tanks lost the turn. There was not much doing in Diamonds, apart from De Beers Def. and Jagersfontein. There were signs of broadening interest in the Tin share market, although the metal was 21s. 3d. lower at £177 11s. 3d. per ton. Changes on the day were irregular in character and insignificant in extent. Gold Coast Amalgamated, among West Africans, were quite a strong spot. The Hampton Gold Mining Areas, we understand, is writing down its capital, and will offer 2s. 6d. per share cash and two new 5s. shares for each £1 share held. Rio Tintos again moved up, and one or two Russians were better under the lead of Russos. Miscellaneous descriptions were mostly idle, but Mexican Mines strengthened, and Kirkland Lake marked a sharp advance. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U.			
1⅛	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅛-1⅛	
17/0	Anglo-French	17/6-18/6	+0/9
3	Brakpan	3-3⅛	
9⅛	Cent. Mining (£8)	9⅛-9⅛	+ ⅛
2⅛	City Deep	2⅛-3	
1⅛	Con. Goldfields	3-3⅛	
17/0	Cons. Langlaagte	17/0-17/6	
1⅛	Cons. Main Reef	13/6-14/0	−0/3
17/6	Cons. Selec. (10/-)	18/3-19/3	
3⅛	Crown Mines (10/0)	3⅛-3⅛	− 1/16
11/9	E. Rand Mining	12/0-13/0	+0/6
10/3	E. Rand Prop.	10/3-10/6	
3⅛	Geduld	3⅛-3⅛	+ 1/16
12/0	Gen. Mining	13/9-14/3	
5⅛	Government Areas	5⅛-5⅛	
30/6	Johan'burg Invest.	32/6-33/0	
8/3	Kleinfontein	8/3-8/9	−0/3
4/9	Knight Central	4/6-5/0	
18/0	Knight's	18/6-19/6	+1/0
24/0	Langlaagte Estate	24/9-25/3	+0/6
4	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-4⅛	
4⅛	M'derfontein (10/-)	4⅛-4⅛	+ ⅛
⅛	Modder B (5/-)	1⅛-1⅛	
2⅛	Modder Deep (5/-)	2⅛-2⅛	+ 1/16
8/0	Modder East	8/7⅛-9/1⅛	
1⅛	New State Areas	1⅛-1⅛	+ 1/16
17/6	Nourse Mines	17/0-18/0	−0/3
3⅛	Rand Mines (5/-)	3⅛-3⅛	+ ⅛
23/0	Randfontein	24/3-24/9	+0/3
16/6	do. Central	17/3-17/9	
1⅛	Rob'son Dp. (A 1/-)	15/3-15/9	−0/6
16/6	Robinson Dp. (B)	15/3-15/9	
15/9	Rose Deep	13/6-16/3	
2⅛	S.A. Gold Trust	2⅛-2⅛	
2⅛	Springs Mines	2⅛-2⅛	
2⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	2⅛-2⅛	
16/0	Trans. Con. L. (15/0)	16/9-17/9	
22/3	Union Corp. (12/6)	23/3-23/9	
15/6	Van Ryn	17/0-17/6	
3⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3⅛-3⅛	− 1/16
21/9	Vereeniging	22/0-23/0	
17/6	Village Deep	17/6-18/0	
8	Witersrand Deep	7⅛-8	

RUSSIAN.

9/7½	RussoAsiat. Cons.	9/9-10/3	+0/6
4/0	Russian Mining	3/6-4/0	
4/0	Siberian Props.	3⅛-4	
⅛	Spassky	⅛-⅛	+ 1/16

RHODESIAN.

M.U.			
8/3	Bechuanaland Ex.	8/0-8/6	
25/0	Cam. and Motor	24/3-24/9	−0/3
11/1½	Charter'd B.S.A.	11/7½-11/10½	
5⅛	Falcon	5/6-5/6	−0/3
11/0	Gaika Gold	10/6-11/0	−0/3
10/6	Globe & Phoenix (5/)	11/3-11/9	
6⅛	Gold F. Rho. (10/-)	6/0-6/6	
1⅛	Lonely Reef	1⅛-1⅛	
⅛	Rezende	2⅛-3	
6/0	R. Broken Hill (5/-)	5/9-6/3	
8/3	Selukwe	8/0-8/9	
14/9	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1⅛	
15/0	Tanganyika	15/3-15/9	−0/3
18/0	Vic. Falls Ord.	17/9-18/9	
25/0	do. Pref.	24/6-25/6	
⅛	Wankie Col. (10/-)	12/9-13/9	
10/3	Zambesia Explor.	11/0-11/6	
—	Zambesia Min. D.	⅛-1	

DIAMOND.

12⅛	De Beers (£2⅛)	13⅛-13⅛	+ ⅛
12⅛	do. Pref.	12⅛-12⅛	− ⅛
3⅛	Jagersfontein	3⅛-4⅛	+ ⅛
10/0	N. Vaal River	5-6	
6⅛	Premier Def. (2/6)	6⅛-6⅛	
7	do. Pref. (5/-)	6⅛-7	

AUSTRALIAN.

1	Amal. Zinc	1⅛-1⅛	
1⅛	Brit. Broken Hill	1⅛-1⅛	
26/6	Broken Hill Prop.	1⅛-1⅛	
2⅛	B. Hill Sth. (New)	2⅛-2⅛	
⅛	B. Hill, Block 10	⅛-⅛	
4/9	Great Boulder (2/-)	4/0-5/3	
⅛	Ivanhoe	⅛-⅛	
10/0	Lake View (10/0)	9/9-10/9	
11/10½	North Broken Hill	2⅛-2⅛	
12/6	Sulphide Ord.	12/9-13/9	
12/3	Zinc Ord. (10/-)	⅛-⅛	
2	do. Pref.	1⅛-2⅛	

WEST AFRICAN.

18/9	Akim	⅛-⅛	
12/6	Ashanti Gold (4/-)	12/6-13/0	
10/9	Fanti Cons. (8/-)	10/6-11/0	
16/0	Gold Coast Amal.	16/6-17/6	+1/0
9/0	Obuassi	8/6-9/6	
5/9	Taquah Explor.	5/3-6/3	

TIN.

M.U.			
14/0	Anglo-Con. (10/-)	13/9-14/3	−0/3
2⅛	Aramayo Francke	2⅛-2⅛	
3/0	East Pool (5/-)	2/9-3/3	
1⅛	Gopeng	1⅛-1⅛	− 1/16
—	Kinta	1⅛-1⅛	+ 1/16
1⅛	Kramat Pulai	1⅛-1⅛	+ 1/16
1⅛	Malayan T.D.	1⅛-1⅛	− 1/16
⅛	Naraguta	⅛-⅛	
2/0	Nigerian Tin (5/-)	1/9-2/3	
—	Pahang (5/-)	7/0-8/0	
—	Rambutan	1-1⅛	
1⅛	Renong	1⅛-1⅛	+ 1/16
7/1½	Ropp (4/-Shares)	7/0-7/6	
2⅛	Siamese	2⅛-2⅛	
4/6	South Bukeru	3/6-4/6	
1⅛	Tronoh	1⅛-1⅛	

COPPER.

⅛	Arizona (5/-)	⅛-1	
⅛	Mount Elliott (£5)	⅛-⅛	
11/6	Mount Morgan	10/6-11/6	
20/3	Mount Lyell	20/3-21/3	−0/6
1⅛	Namaqua	1⅛-1⅛	
13/3	New Guinea	12/9-13/9	
28⅛	Rio Tinto (£5)	27⅛-28	+ ⅛

MISCELLANEOUS.

11/0	Brit. Platinum	10/3-11/3	
6/7½	Burma Corp.	6/6-6/9	
4/3	Camp Bird Ord.	4/0-4/6	
4/3	Chemical and Met.	⅛-⅛	
7/3	Colombian Mining	7/0-8/0	
10/9	Esperanza	10/6-11/0	
10/0	Kirkland Lake	10/6-11/6	+1/0
4⅛	Mexico Mines	4⅛-4⅛	+ 1/16
5⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	5⅛-6	
3/6	Min. Corp. of Can.	3/3-3/9	
11/4½	Mysore (10/-)	10/9-11/9	
3/0	Nat. Min. (10/-pd.)	2/10½-3/4½	
23/0	New Chuquitambo	1⅛-1⅛	
14/0	Ooregum	1-1	
19/6	Oroville	18/9-19/9	
18/8	St. John Del Rey	7/3-7/9	−0/3
7/6	Santa Gertrudis	⅛-⅛	
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅛	

*Ex Dividend. †Ex Rights.

BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Corp.—29/3, 9/-, 4½d., 8/5½. 1½d., 6d. Brakpan—6¼, 3d., 6¼d. British South Africa—11/9, 10½d., 7½d., 3d., 7½d. Broken Hill Prop.—26/3. Burma Corp.—6/6⅛, 7½d., 6d. Central Mining—9⅞, ⅞, ½. City Deep—60/7½. 60/-, 59/8¼, 60/4½, 60/-. Colombian Mining—8/-, 7/10½. Cons. Diamond Mines of S.W. Africa—23/-, 2/9, 6d. Consol. Gold Fields—19/3, 18/9, 19/3. Consol. Main Reef—13/10½, 14/0½, 13/9. Consol. Mines Selection—16/9, 18/9, 4½d. Crown Mines—65/7½, 6/10½, 3d., 5/11½, 7½d. Durban Road. Deep—16/1½, 15/9, 16/1½. East Rand Prop. —10/6, 9d., 7½d. Esperanza—10/4½, 6d. Fanti Consols—10/7½, 3d., 4½d. Geduld—63/9, 4, 8½. General Mining—14/4½, 3d., 14/-, 13/9, 14/4½. Government Areas—5⅛, ⅛, 3, 31-64. Johannesburg Invest.—33/1½, 2/3, 3d., 10½d., 2/-, 3d. Langlaagte—25/-, 4/9, 10½d., 5/-. Lyndhurst Deep Level—1/5. Modderfontein B (5/- shares)—35/-, 4/4½, 2/6, 5/-. Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)—50/-, 3½d., 46/3, 50/3. Modderfontein East—8/7½. Mount Lyell—21/-, 20/9, 6d. New Kleinfontein—8/6. New Modderfontein—88/10½, 9/4½, 90/-, 89/8¼, 7/6. New State Areas—35/-, 3/9, 4/4½, 3/6. Nourse—18/3, 17/10½, 18/1½. Ooregum—14/-. Rand Mines—65/-, 3/9, 4/8½, 4½d. Randfontein Central—17/4½, 3d., 7½d., 17/-, 1½d. Randfontein Estates—24/4½, 4/-, 1½d., 5/-, 6d. 4½d. Robinson Deep A—32/6, 3/9; do. B—15/9, 4½d., 15/4½, 16/-, 15/7½. Rose Deep—15/6, 7½d., 3d., 10½d., 9d. Russo-Asiatic—9/7½, 4½d., 9½d., 9d., 10/-. Selukwe Gold—8/1½, 3d., 8/-, 5½d. Springs—51/10½, 2/6, 3/1½. Tanganyika—15/6, 7½d., 6d. Union Corp.—23/7½, 10½d., 9d. 4/-, 3/6. Van Ryn—17/6, 9d., 3d., 10½d. 8½d. Van Ryn Deep—75/7½, 6/3, 7/6, 9d., 6/10½. Village Deep—18/3, 18/-, 17/9, 15/6, 10/6, 13/2½, 3d., 16/-. Zinc Corp.—12/9, 13/1½, 3d. (*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

RUBBER SHARES BETTER.

The Rubber share market was much better yesterday on the continued strength of the price for the raw material, and quite a number of substantial gains were recorded. Inch Kenneth rose 6s. 9d. to 54s. 3d., Kapar Para at 37s. 4½d. was 1s. 9d. higher. Tremelbye rose 1s. 7½d. to 17s. 3d., Ledbury at 27s. and Linggi at 32s. both rose 1s. Kuala Lumpur fell 1s. to 39s., and United Sua Betong 1s. 3d. to 57s. 6d. The price of raw rubber remained at 12½d. per lb. Closing prices:—

M.U.			
32/9	Anglo-Dutch	33/0	+0/3
2/9	Anglo-Java	2/9	
19/9	Anglo-Malay	19/9	−0/3
1⅛	Bertam Cons.	4/7⅛	+0/1½
4/6	Bukit Mertajam	1⅛	
1⅛	Bukit Sembawang	13/3	
1/6	Damansara	1/3	
—	Grand Central	19/6	+0/6
19/6	Highlands	3⅛	
3/9	Kamuning	2/0*	
4/6	Kepong	4/1⅛	
1⅛	Kuala Lumpur	39/0	−1/0
39/0	Labu	28/0	+0/4⅛
3/9	Linggi	32/0	+1/0
3/0	London-Asiatic	3/10⅛	
4/3	Malacca	30/4⅛	
22/9	Malayalam	24/4⅛	
3/1⅛	Merlimau	3/1⅛	
15/0	Mooply Valley	14/3	
2/3	Port Dickson	2/4⅛	+0/1⅛
1⅛	Rubber Trust	21/9	+0/6
15/0	Seafield	15/0	
1⅛	Senadyan	27/6	
1⅛	Sialang	22/6	
20/0	Straits Rub.	19/1⅛	
20/6	Tali Ayer	22/3	+0/9
—	Tandjong	27/0	+0/1⅛
1⅛	Un. Serdang	3/1⅛	
3/1⅛	United Sua Betong	3/1⅛	
2⅛	Vallambrosa	57/6	−1/3
14/0		14/3	

Anglo-Sum.	40/0	N. Hummock	15/0
Bah Lias	23/0 +0/3	P.P.K. (C'yl'n)	13/9
Batu Tiga	31/6 −0/6	Pataling	21/3
B.N.B.R. Trst	9/0	Pilmoor	20/0
Brieh	1/8⅛ −/0⅛	Rim Malacca	3/0
Bukit Cloh	4/6 +0/1⅛	Rub. E. Johore	25/0
Bukit Rajah	19/6 +1/3	Sapong	15/10⅛
Castlefield	4/0	Sapumalk'de	19/9
Cheviot	2/10⅛ +/0⅛	Selangor	20/6
Cicely	3/0	SerdangC'nt'l	17/9
Eastern Trst	10/3 +0/7⅛	Soember Ajoe	17/⅛ +0/3
Gen. Ceylon	18/9	Strathmore	11/6
Glenbervie	17/6	Sumatra Con.	15/1⅛ −0/7⅛
Golden Hope	17/6	Sungei Buaya	20/6 −0/6
Java Amal.	18/9	SungeiChoh	18/0
Kapar Para	37/4⅛ +1/9	Sungei Kapar	4/6
Kasintos	15/6	Sungei Kr Pt.	32/6
Kepitigalla	7/0	Taiping	1/6
Kombok	2/10⅛	Tebrau	23/0
LangkatSum	20/6 +0/6	Telogoredjo	34/6
Ledbury	23/0	Tempeh	6/11
Manch'terNB	15/0	Un. Temiang	2/10⅛ +0/1⅛
Membakut	8/9	Yam Seng	2/9⅛ +0/1⅛

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—57⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 57 15/16, ⅞, ⅞. 3½ p.c. War Loan—95⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 4½ p.c. War Loan—94⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 5 p.c. War Loan—99⅛, 1/16, 99⅛, *102, 99⅛. 4 p.c. War Loan—102⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Funding Loan—87⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Victory Bonds—88⅛, 9⅛, 9⅛, 9, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Conversion Loan—76⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. India 7 p.c. Loan—110⅛. Sudan 5½ p.c.—105⅛, 6, 5⅛. South Africa 6 p.c. Stock—106, 5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Aerated Bread—33/6, 4½d., 3/-, 106, 5⅛, ⅛, ⅛. African and Eastern—26s. 6d., 4½d., 6d., 3½d. Allsopp Ord.—*7/9. Amalgamated Cotton—14/3, 1½d., 14/-. Anglo-Dutch Rubber—33/-, 1½d., 2/9, 10½d., 3/3. Anglo-Egyptian Oil—27/6, 8/1½. Anglo-Persian Oil—43/9, 6d., 5/-, 4/1½, 3/9; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—24/6, 7½d., 1½d., 4/-. Armstrong—17/7½, 18/1½, 18/-. Assoc. Cement—16/6, 17/-, 16/10½, 9d. Associated Newspapers Def.—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Barclays Bank "A"—7⅛, ⅛. Brit. Amer. Tobacco—88/9, 6d., 10½d., 2/-, 4½d. Brit. Controlled Oil—8/11⅛, 9/-, 9/3, 8/6, 3d. Brit. do. Pref.—10/3, 4½d., 6d., 7½d., 4½d., 6d., 5⅛d., 1½d. Brit. Oil and Cake—25/6, 1½d., 10/-, 1½d., 6⅛d. Brit. Overseas Bank—5⅛. Brunner Mond (x.d.)—34/6, 9d., 4½d., 3d. B.S.A.—10/3, 7⅛d., 10/-, 3½d., 1½d. Buenos Ayres Great Southern—86⅛, 6, 5⅛, ⅛, 80⅛, 1⅛, 80⅛, 80, ⅛, 1⅛. Buenos Ayres Western Ord.—81, 80⅛. Buenos Ayres Pacific—77⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Burmah Oil (x.d.)—5 17-64, ⅛, 6⅛, 8⅛, 9, 7⅛. Canadian Pacific—158⅛, 9, 8⅛, 9⅛, 8⅛, 7⅛, 8⅛. Central Argentine Ord.—79⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, 6⅛, 6⅛. Coats—67/3, 4½d., 1½d., 7/6, 6/10⅛. do. Part. Pref.—(St. Paul's) Ord.—13/-, 12/10½, 15/-. Courtaulds—19/-. Cory (Wm.) (x.d.)—45/-. Crosse and Blackwell—4/7⅛, 6⅛d., 6d. Cunard Ord.—58/4⅛, 8/-, 57/6, 9d., 8/4⅛, 7/9, 7⅛d., 3d. Debs.—106⅛, 7⅛, 7, 6⅛. 20/6, 3d., 1½d., 4½d. do. Debs.—20/6, 3d., 1½d., 4½d.. do. Debs. Dunlop Ord.—9/3, 1½d., 3½d., 2½d., 4½d. English Sewing Cotton—46/3, 7/-, 107⅛, 8, 7⅛. Fine Cotton Spinners (x.d.)—41/3, 6d., 3d., 17/-. do. General Electric Ord.—17/4½, 6d. Grand Central Rubber—19/1⅛. Debs.—105⅛, 5, 5. Great Eastern Rail—38⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Great Northern Rail Def.—43⅛, *3, 2⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Great Western Rail—107⅛, 6⅛, ⅛, 7, 6, ⅛. Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.—99⅛, ⅛, 100⅛, *99⅛, ⅛. Harrods Ord.—28/9. Highlands Rubber—32/6, 3d. Hudson's Bay Ord.—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Imperial Tobacco—70/3, 70/-, 69/9, 7⅛d., 6d., 3d. Kern River Oil—18/10⅛, 9d., 19/-, 18/11⅛, 7⅛d. Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—19/10⅛, 9d., 20/-, *19/6, 11⅛d. do. 8 p.c. Pref.—19/10⅛. Linggi do. 7 p.c. Debs.—105⅛. Lipton Ord.—Rubber—32/3, 30/7⅛, 4⅛d., 6d., 7/10⅛, 8/4⅛, 27/3, 7/-, 3d. Lloyds Bank—58/-, 57-64. Lobitos Oil—5⅛. London Joint London, Brighton Def.—64, ⅛. London Joint County Bank—17⅛. London North-Western City Bank—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Lyons (J.) and Rail—103⅛, 2⅛, ⅛. do. 7 p.c. Pref.—24/7⅛. Co. Ord. (x.d.)—90/7⅛. do. 7/6, 3d., 6/3, 9d., 8/-, 4/9, 6d. Marconi Ord.—47/6, 3d. do. Debs.—2⅛ prem. *6/-, 6d. do. Pref.—42/6. do. Canada—9/6, 10½d. do. Marine—27/9, 6d. Mexican Eagle Ord.—55/-, 4/4⅛, 3/9, 1⅛d. 4½d. do. Maypole Def.—6/3, 4⅛d., 1½d. do. 7 p.c. Pref.—18/8⅛, 18/7⅛, 11⅛d. 9d. Midland Railway Def.—67⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Mond Nickel—27/6. Nat. Prov. Bank (£4)—10⅛. £10 15/9, 10⅛, ⅛. Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.—16/1⅛, 16/-. Niger 8 p.c. Pref.—15/4⅛, 7⅛d., 6d. Nobel Ind.—14/9, 15/4⅛, 6d., 2⅛. Parent Def.—5/3. North-Eastern Pref.—18/6⅛, 6d., do. Def.—5/3. Consols—118⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 17⅛, 18⅛, ⅛. Phoenix Oil—56/4⅛, 1⅛d., 6/-, 3d., 25/9, 6/-, 3d. Platt Bros. Ord.—5/9. Radio Corp. 5/10⅛, 6/1⅛. Prov. Cinematograph Pref. do. Pref.—13/6, 7⅛d. Rim Common—19/-, 17/6; Royal Dutch—36⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 7. Malacca—3/1. Royal Mail Steam 6⅛ p.c. Pref.—105⅛, 4⅛, 6⅛, ⅛. Rumanian Oil—13/4⅛, 13/-, 6d., 7⅛d. Rubber Trust—21/3, 6d., 10⅛d., 9d. Smithfield and Argentine—4/8⅛, 3/9, 8/3, 7⅛d., 4/-. Shell—95/-. Argentine—9/1⅛. Sudan Plantations—6, £5 19/6, 5⅛, 6d. 5⅛. Tankers Pref.—4/11⅛. Trinidad Central Oil—31/10⅛. Turkish Unified—27, 6⅛, 5/-, 3/1⅛. Underground Elec.—58/-, 9d., 2/6, 4/4⅛, 3/9, 5/-. United Dairies—29/3, 1⅛d., 3d., 9/4⅛, 8/9. United of Havana Rail (x.d.)—69⅛, ⅛, ⅛. United Tobacco—43/6, 3/-, 3d. Uroz Oil—8/3. 7⅛d., 9d., 3d., 4⅛d., 6d. Vickers—13/9, 14/0⅛, 13/7⅛. Walker (Peter) Ord.—19/6. White Tomkins Ord.—22/3. Workman Clark Debs.—85. (*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

INDUSTRIALS UNCERTAIN.

EFFECT OF NEAR EAST SITUATION.

It cannot be said that business in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets yesterday was up to expectations, and the reason given for this was the uncertainty which exists regarding the Near Eastern situation. Nevertheless, a firm tone ruled throughout, and movements on balance were mostly in favour of holders. Among Electrical issues, Siemens Bros. experienced fresh depression owing to the uncertainty regarding the dividend. Motor Unions slipped back to 8, which left them ¼ lower on the day, but elsewhere in the Insurance section, United British put on ⅛ to 2½. Most movements in Bank shares were again to higher levels. In the Miscellaneous Trading section, Dunlops kept firm, and finished slightly better at 9s. 3d.; Borax Def. put on 6d. to 35s. 9d. ex div., and Brunner Monds improved to 34s. 6d. ex div. Oil Cakes rallied to 25s. 3d., and both the Lever 7 and 8 per cent. Prefs. to 19s. 9d. Rolls Royce rallied to 24s. in the Motor group, and L.G.O.C. 5 per cent. Debs. put on ½ to 87½. Dennis Bros., however, lost 9d. at 26s. 3d.

Among Newspaper and Printing concerns, Waterlow Def. rose ½ to 19, and *Financial News* 2s. 6d. to 12s. 6d. Amalgamated Press improved to 42s. 9d. B.A.T.'s held their ground among Tobaccos at 88s. 3d., Imperials gained a few pence at 69s. 9d., and the "A" and "C" Prefs. rose to 22s. 6d. and 38s., respectively. Canadians were 3d. better at 25s. 9d., and United Tobacco (Souths) rose to 43s. 9d. Firmness characterised the Brewery group. Allsopps rose 6d. to 9s., and the Prefs. another point to 56½. Watney Combe Pref. and Def. also gained 1 each at 53½ and 271, respectively. Booths improved to 18s. 3d. Among Caterers, A.B.C.'s strengthened to 33s. 3d., and Spiers and Ponds to 27s. Textiles generally displayed firmness. Dye Stuffs closed 6d. better at 5s. 6d., and the Prefs. put on 1s. to 6s. 9d. Coats rose 6d. to 67s., as did also Bleachers to 42s. 6d.

Iron and Steel descriptions had a very firm appearance. Vickers still ruled at 14s., while the tax free Prefs. came into demand, and finished a few pence better at 17s. 3d. Armstrongs held their ground at 18s. Gains of 6d. occurred in Babcock and Wilcox at 65s., in Bolckow Vaughans at 19s., and in Dorman Longs at 19s.; while smaller advances were seen in Ebbw Vales at 13s. 3d., in Guest Keens at 35s., in Hadfields at 24s., in Palmers Shipbuilding at 11s. 9d., and in United Steels at 10s. Tata Debs. closed ½ better at 95, and Workman Clark Debs. improved to 85.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

In connection with the improved prospects for tea growing companies, there are several interesting facts that should have a favourable effect upon the immediate outlook. One point is that buyers are prepared to enter into contracts for crops right up to the end of 1923. Another point, the consumption per head in the United Kingdom has increased from 6¼lbs. to 8¼lbs. during the last ten years. Also the cost of production during the current year will show a reduction upon last year. Propaganda work for increasing the consumption of tea is steadily proceeding, especially in America and India, with satisfactory results.

At the adjourned general meeting of the North British Railway Company at Edinburgh yesterday, Mr. William Whitelaw, the Chairman, stated that the Ministry of Transport conceded their claim for £1,120,000 in respect of the years 1920-21, while a counterclaim of the Ministry had been settled at £405,000. Payment recommended at the full rates of the postponed dividends upon the Preference and Preferred Ordinary Stocks for 1921, and on the Deferred Stock at the rate of 1 per cent. The following members of the Board were elected directors to serve on the Board of the Amalgamated Company:—Messrs. William Whitelaw, Alexander Reith Gray, Andrew Kay Macosh, and Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Cecil Murray.

A meeting of the proprietors and Debenture stockholders of the North Eastern Railway Company in York yesterday considered the scheme for amalgamating the Eastern group of railways. Lord Knaresborough, presiding, said the directors had come to the conclusion that the final terms agreed to with their partners represented what might be called a fair deal, and should be accepted. While the North-Eastern might have stood out for better terms in some respects, other chairmen in London or Edinburgh would probably urge that some other company in the group might fairly have claimed more than they got. He moved that the scheme be approved. Lord Joicey seconded, and the resolution was carried, with one dissentient. At a special meeting subsequently held nine directors were elected. A resolution proposed to grant £25,000 to the dispossessed directors to be divided among them in proportions as the board might think fit. The proposition met with considerable opposition, but after a detailed explanation by Lord Grey, it was carried, with three dissentients.

Mr. F. A. Parnwell, assistant general manager of the Great Eastern Railway Company, was yesterday appointed general manager in succession to Sir Henry Thornton.

Is there an over-production of silver? The question is suggested by the pronounced weakness of the metal. America has turned the market completely by selling more heavily than for a very long time past, and latest advices from both China and India indicate weak markets in both places. It is becoming increasingly evident say Messrs. Pixley and Abell, the bullion brokers, in this week's review of the market, that the production of silver is, apart from speculation, in excess of the world's requirements, and that the present level of prices is too high. Still, as some producers have already been selling their output in advance, the fall may be gradual rather than sharp. As to immediate prospects in consuming countries, there is no doubt that stocks in China are still heavy and no more is needed, while India's demands have been partially satisfied by sales from China, and that demand alone is not sufficient to absorb the amounts now coming on the market.

The San Paulo (Brazilian) Railway Company, Ltd., announce that, in accordance with the terms of the quarterly adjustment of tariffs under the sliding scale, an increase of 56 per cent. on basic tariffs will come into force on the 1st proximo, in place of the 40 per cent. increase at present in force.

Pref.—18/6⅛, 6d. do. Def.—5/3. North-Eastern [illegible]

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOWER TREASURY BILL RATE.

BETTER FOREIGN EXCHANGES.

In spite of the unsatisfactory condition of money, the average price at which the Treasuries were sold yesterday by tender approximated 2 5/16 p.c. discount, which is appreciably lower than a week ago, and, all things considered, appears to be remarkable. Undoubtedly, there are some special reasons for stimulating the demand. Bills dated Monday to Friday, offered at £99 7s. 8d., receive 27 p.c., Saturday's, at £99 7s. 10d. and above, being allotted in full. As a consequence discounts were lower, without, however, much business going on. Fine three months' bank bills were 2½, with sometimes 2 5/16 quoted, while the "hot" Treasuries were inclined to be sellers at 2⅜.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 13, 1922, 3%				
60 days (fine)	2⅛	2⅛	Trade	3	3½
3 months	2⅛	2⅛	"	3	3½
4 months	2⅛	2⅛	"	3½	3½
6 months	2⅛		"	2	1½
Loans to brokers day-to-day					1½
for a week					2
Deposit allowance	Banks at call				1
	Discount houses, at call				1
	at notice				1¼

Appreciably greater supplies of money were available, and lenders reduced their charge from 2½ to 2 p.c. for night accommodation, surplus balances being offered cheaper. Fixtures were going on at 1¼. It is to be noted that offers for Treasury bills at £99 3s. receive allotment.

Gold lost 5d. to 91s. 11d. per oz nominal. Bar silver rose 1/16d. to 32 5/16d. per oz. for spot, but remained unchanged at 31⅞d. for forward delivery, the market being steadier on a little speculative buying.

A distinctly better sentiment prevailed in the Foreign Exchange market, opinion abroad being favourably impressed by the results of the General Election, and rates, as a rule, were firmer. A reaction, however, occurred later on. Sterling was strong on New York over 4.48, sliding later to 4.47⅞, while German marks were at one time as good as 26,000, reacting later to 28,500-29,500. Support was given to French francs, which touched 63.30, reacting to 63.45, with Belgium 69.00-69.10 and Italy 96. Rupees recovered further to 1s. 4d., while Brazilian milreis sharply improved to 6 5/16-6 11/16, with Chilian dollars not quite so good at 35.80. Argentine was a trifle better at 44 1/16-44¼. Lisbon remaining at 2⅛-2¼. Holland was dull at 11.38⅛-11.39⅛, and Switzerland at 24.27-24.30. Greece showed no recovery at 310-315, while Austria was 320,000-340,000. Poland 68,000-72,000, and Prague 139-141. The following are closing quotations:—

—	November 17.		November 16.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅛		97½
Amsterdam	11.39⅛	11.40⅛	11.37⅛	11.38	12.10
B. Ayres	44⅛	44⅛	43⅛	44⅛	47.58
Barcelona	29.29	29.31	29.31	29.33	25.22
Berlin	27,500	29,500	31,500	33,500	20.40
Bombay	1/4	1/4⅛	1/3⅛	1/3⅛	1/4⅛
Brussels	68.90	11.40	70.45	0.55	25/22½
Calcutta	1/4	1/4⅛	1/3⅛	1/3⅛	1/4
Christiania	24.43	24.48	24.25	24.30	18.1
Copenhagen	22.12	22.17	22.09	22.14	18.15
Czecho-Slov	139	142	137	142	
Finland	177	182	175	180	25.22½
Greece	310	315	305	310	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/4⅛	2/4⅛	2/4⅛	2/5⅛	
Hungary	10,250	11,250	10,000	11,500	
Italy	95⅛	96	96	96⅛	25.22½
Lisbon	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	53/4⅛
Madrid	29.28	29.33	29.27	29.32	25.22½
Mexico	26		26		24/6d.
Montreal	4.47⅛	4.47⅛	4.46	4.46⅛	4.86
Montevideo	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛	51d.
New York	4.47⅛	4.47⅛	4.46⅛	4.47	4.86
Paris	64.15	64.25	65.45	65.55	25.22
Poland	67,000	74,000	67,000	74,000	—
RiodeJan	6⅛		6⅛	6⅛	16d.
Roumania	680	695	690	710	—
Shanghai	3/1⅛	3/1⅛	3/2	3/2⅛	—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4⅛
Stockholm	16.64	16.69	16.60	16.65	18.15
Switzerland	24.23	24.27	24.25	24.30	25.22
Valparaiso	35.80		35.10		13.33
Vienna	315,000	345,000	310,000	350,000	—
Yokohama	2/1⅛	2/2	2/1⅛	2/2⅛	24.5

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 28,500.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance, 12⅛; Atlas, 17⅛; British General, 27/1½, 4½d., 6d.; British Legal and United, 12/-; Employers' Liability, 80/-, 79/6, 10½d., 80/-, 79/-; Motor Union, 8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8; Sun, £17 1/9; United British, 4⅛, 9/9, 7/6, 50/-; World Auxiliary, 14/3, 16/-.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Atlas, 17⅛; Employers' Liability, 79/6, 80/-; London and Lancs., Law Union and Rock 5 p.c. Deb., 99⅛; London Assurance, 7⅛; Motor Union, 8⅛, ⅛; North British and Mercantile, 12⅛, ⅛; Northern, 300/9; Phoenix Pelican, 10⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Norwich Union, 10⅛; Royal Insurance, 20⅛, ⅛; Sun Insurance, 17⅛.

COMPANY MEETING.

SUNGEI BUAYA RUBBER.

The meeting of the Sungei Buaya Rubber Company was held at 5 Whittington avenue, London, yesterday, Mr. A. G. Angier presiding.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report and accounts, said that it was a great relief to the Board that they were able to show results so much better than those of the previous year. They had come through the worst year in the history of the Company, not only unscathed, but with an improved position. Much was expected from the scheme in the way of obtaining a fair price for the product, and in the meantime, their policy should be to strive to obtain their output at the lowest cost of production consistent with the proper maintenance of the property. The encouraging feature at present was the rate at which rubber was going into consumption. Figures would seem to show that it was being absorbed in quite as large quantities as were being produced. The report was unanimously adopted, and a vote of thanks to the staff in the East concluded the proceedings.

DUNLOP RUBBER COMPANY.

In an article dealing with the affairs of the Dunlop Rubber Company, the *Financial Times* says:—

"With the approach of the date when the Committee of Investigation may be expected to have concluded its work, and presented its report, attention is being directed again towards the prospects of the Dunlop Rubber Company. The problem of reorganising the Company's finances, having regard to the heavy losses suffered in the recent past, will have been no easy one to solve, while, even when it has been dealt with on definitive lines, some time must elapse, we should imagine, before the outlook for the junior stockholders can be described as bright. But, while these considerations have to be borne in mind, all the evidence available goes to show that the condition of the Company has improved very greatly within the past year. It is known that negotiations for the financing of the American business have been in progress for some time, and it may be expected that in the near future this difficulty, which has thrown a good deal of anxious work on the Board, will have been overcome, and a completely satisfactory arrangement made. Shareholders quite naturally will evince a good deal of interest in the next annual balance sheet when it is laid before them, as it will be in the near future. No secret is made of the fact that recently the Company has been doing a record business, especially in its highest-grade tyres, which are second to none in quality. This fact justifies a much more favourable view with regard to prospects than could have been taken a few months back, and together with the close watch that is being kept over outgoings and factory organisation, suggests that the coming balance sheet will be of a satisfactory character."

FILM PRODUCTION IN IRELAND.

Irish Photo-Plays, the only film-producing company in Ireland, gave a dinner to their staff and artists in the Metropole Restaurant on Monday evening.

Among the toasts was one by the Chairman of the company, Mr. C. E. McConnell, in which he outlined the plans of the company for the coming year. These include the erection of a large studio for film work on the outskirts of the city, which will enable Irish Photo-Plays to compete on an even footing with the American film-producing companies.

Mr. J. J. Walsh, Postmaster-General, in proposing the toast of "The Press," said that the Irish Press, with the exception of the Dublin newspapers, had not given Irish industries the help they might have done. Film work would be one of the most important industries in Ireland in the future. The Government here fully realised the important part that film-making would play in shaping the future of the national culture. Irish Photo-Plays should do great things yet.

Others speakers were Messrs. I. I. Bradlaw, vice-chairman of the company; F. B. O'Rourke, George Nesbitt, D. Harrigan, and K. Baron Hartley. Musical items were contributed by Mrs. Sargent, Mr. Fred. Jeffs, Mr. Barrett MacDonnell, Mr. J. O'Dea, and others.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

FUTURE OF "THE DEPARTMENT."

MOTOR TRANSIT FOR LIVE STOCK.

FARMERS AND LOCAL ELECTIONS.

(BY OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.)

It is a remarkable fact that, although live stock traffic direct to Dublin was held up for almost a month on the Great Southern and Western Railway, owing to the strike, supplies of cattle and sheep from Southern feeders nevertheless reached the Dublin market every week. They were sent by a circuitous route, but arrived in ample time for Thursday's market. At the same time, feeders in the immediate neighbourhood of Dublin rushed forward all the available stock, with the result that recent markets have been the reverse of inspiring. Last week, indeed, the shrinkage in the value of beef was very decided indeed, amounting to fully £2 per head. This was due to a large extent to the fact that consignments, which had been previously shipped across the Channel, had not all been absorbed, the reasons being depression of trade and restrictions on the movement of stock in Great Britain.

Regular attendants of the Dublin Cattle Market will have noticed that some traders have adopted the plan of sending their sheep for sale each week in motor lorries, fitted with a double deck and crate. This enables them to get the animals forward with speed and comfort. On the score of expenses, I am given to understand that there is very little difference between the cost of carriage by road as compared with that by rail. The essential difference arises from the fact that a motor vehicle will convey stock or produce in at least one-fifth of the time required to do so by rail, and without the expense entailed by extra handling in loading and unloading at each end. By the use of a motor vehicle sheep, pigs, or farm produce may be conveyed to their destination, within, say, a thirty-mile radius, direct from the farm. The saving of time alone so effected is important, and should tend to make the use of motor vehicles for the purpose more popular.

A DIFFICULT PROBLEM.

When the new Irish Government gets into its stride there will, doubtless, be many changes in existing institutions. It is quite possible that several departments, which have been carrying on really useful work, will be obliged to work with reduced incomes. This will mean the cutting down of staffs. It has to be remembered that the services of these officials cost money, and the country cannot now afford to spend Imperially. It was different when grants in aid of certain objects might be obtained for the asking or by a little agitation.

In this connection it may be asked—What will happen such institutions as the Department of Agriculture? With all its faults, it has the merit of being democratic. Every decision of the Council of Agriculture has been put into effect as far as possible, and, through the medium of county instructors in agriculture and other branches of farming much has been done to increase the fertility of the land and the productiveness of crops. Our cattle have been improved out of all recognition by the use of premium bulls. There has also been a marked improvement in our pigs and poultry, while a great deal has also been done to level up the quality of the general purpose horse. Much has also been effected in the way of introducing new breeds of crops, preventing and stamping out disease, and also in agricultural research suited to the special needs of the country. Is it possible that some of these activities must remain in abeyance while the Free State is emerging from its swaddling clothes? Financial considerations will, doubtless, involve some changes in this as in other public departments, but the hope may be expressed that nothing will be done that might sacrifice its utility. Of course, it may be contended that, despite all the efforts of the Department of Agriculture, tillage has declined, except during the period of the war, but in this connection other factors have to be considered. Labour and the state of the markets generally enter here, complicating a problem that requires attention from the best brains in the country.

PRICES OF MEAT.

It would be interesting to hear the view of Dublin victuallers with regard to a statement that the pick of the cattle at the Dublin market are bought up by cross-Channel purchasers before the local buyers are out of their beds. It may be that some of the keenest English buyers succeed in effecting an early clearance of what suits them. What consumers may be interested to know is that top prices are not realised for more than 25 *per cent* of the cattle and sheep on offer. This, by the way, is a fairly liberal estimate, and indicates that there is some other reason for the continued high price of fresh meat. The feeder does not reap all the benefit.

As a matter of fact, it has been found on inquiry that Dublin victuallers are handicapped to some extent by high rates and rents, as well as by the present scale of wages. On the other hand, there seems to be an absence of competition in the trade, prices in most instances being fixed by the Victuallers' Association. It is commonly believed that if butchers had a freer hand, prices would gradually drop to a more economic level, and then the inevitable reductions in wages would correspond more closely with the cost of living. This week's average price for beef in the Dublin Cattle Market was only 9s. per cwt. live-weight higher than that ruling in 1914, but what of the retail price of meat? In most cases it is much too high.

FARMERS AND ELECTIONS.

In connection with the District, County and Parliamentary elections, farmers in the County Louth are making preparations to put forward their own candidates. Recent events, it was pointed out at a meeting in Dundalk, have proved that it is essential to the farmers' interests that they should be strongly represented in Parliament and on the county boards. For this reason, everyone dependent on farming for his livelihood is urged to do all in his power to secure the return of farmers' candidates at the various elections.

BARLEY-GROWING.

Replying to Mr. Michael Doyle as to the fact of barley becoming unsaleable in many counties, the Minister of Agriculture stated in the Dail that he was aware of the difficulties facing farmers having quantities of barley for sale, but it would not help the solution of the problem to over-state the position or to create a feeling which might lead to a panic. It was not known what quantity of barley would be required by maltsters, brewers, or distillers, but all information that would be of assistance was being obtained.

On the question of afforestation, the Minister of Agriculture told Mr. Everett that the programme contemplated the planting during the season of one thousand acres, and permanent labourers would be supplemented by temporary men. That was all that could be planted with the moneys allocated for the purpose—namely, £33,000.

The number of persons on November 6 recorded on the Live Register of the Employment Exchanges in Great Britain as wholly unemployed was 1,366,800. This was 29,514 more than in the preceding week, and 456,933 less than the figure recorded at the beginning of last January. The number working short-time and drawing benefit for intervals of unemployment was 49,600 on November 6, as compared with 49,360 on October 30, and 934,786 on July 1, 1921.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

A DAY OF INTERCESSION.

LETTER FROM THE ARCHBISHOPS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Will you kindly permit us to remind the clergy and people of the Church of Ireland that St. Andrew's Day (November 30th) is set apart as a Day of Intercession for the work of Foreign Missions? The Board of Missions of the General Synod have given their hearty approval to this annual united effort of prayer.

We are anxious that the day should be duly observed in every parish throughout the Church. We realise, however, that, in some parishes, it may not be easy to secure the attendance on a week-day of all who may desire to join in the Intercession. We, therefore, suggest that, in such cases, one of the Services on the following Sunday might be set apart for the purpose, with the addition of suitable prayers and, where possible, a sermon dealing with some aspect of the missionary work of the Church.—Yours, etc.,

CHARLES F. ARMAGH,
JOHN DUBLIN.

November 17th, 1922.

CIVIL SERVANTS AND PARLIAMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In Wednesday's discussion in the Dail, on the new Electoral Bill, the Minister for Local Government is reported as defending the exclusion of Civil Servants from eligibility for membership of the Dail in the following terms:—

"It is absolutely essential as a general rule that a Civil Servant should not be a member of the Dail. In the interests of clean administration and the efficiency of departments it is necessary to see that no member of the Civil Service, except those specially employed, is a member of either House."

Among the States in which Civil Servants are eligible, in some cases on terms which almost constitute an encouragement of their candidatures, for election to the Legislatures are Germany, Czecho Slovakia, Austria, Poland and Yugo Slavia. If Mr. Blythe's contention is sound, either clean administration and departmental efficiency cannot exist in these States or else these States and their Civil Servants are possessed of some virtue which cannot be hoped for in Ireland. It would require considerable hardihood to maintain either of these alternatives.

The prejudice against the election of Civil Servants is a relic of the days when they were the servants of the Crown rather than of the State, owing their appointments to Royal or Ministerial patronage, and suspect as "placemen." In the present circumstances the prejudice is out of date. It is unfair to Civil Servants, inasmuch as it deprives them of a right and duty of citizenship. It is unwise in the national interest, inasmuch as it restricts the field of choice of public representatives by excluding a whole class whose education, abilities, and experience should specially qualify them for the duties of representatives.

It is not suggested, of course, that Civil Servants should be able to serve the State in the service and Legislature at the same time. All that is required is that it should be possible for a constituency to elect a Civil Servant without his being compelled to sacrifice his whole future career and the proportion of pension he has already earned. The nation may choose as its legislators lawyers, labourers, bankers, bakers, cattle-dealers, carpenters, doctors, dockers, and so on, and, when it no longer needs their services as legislators, expects them to return to their former occupations. But if it wishes to choose a Civil Servant, it compels him to abandon his occupation and sacrifice his pension, and then refuses to allow him to return to his former occupation. What offence have Civil Servants as a class committed that they should be subjected to this stigma and incapacity; and what special reasons will be deemed sufficient to enable favoured individuals or classes to be employed in the Civil Service on terms expressly permitting them to be elected to the Legislature?—Yours, etc,

R. J. P. MORTISHED.

12 St. Kevin's Gardens, Rathmines, Dublin, November 17th, 1922.

HEADLIGHTS ON MOTOR CARS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I am unaware if there are regulations in this country governing the use of powerful headlights on motor cars, but I rather imagine that there are. I know that in other countries regulations exist. I have been particularly struck of late by what I consider to be an abuse. Cars are driven in well-lighted thoroughfares of this city and county with powerful headlights switched full on.

This is quite an unnecessary practice, from which the motorist derives no benefit. On the contrary, it is a practice fraught with danger to motorists and other traffic alike. The object of powerful headlights is essentially the illumination of an area where lighting does not exist or is insufficient to enable the motorist to drive with safety to himself as well as to other traffic; and on country roads, where lamps are few and far between, powerful headlights are a necessity. Such a thing, however, exists as etiquette among motorists, and I have always understood it to be what I may term an "unwritten law" that a motorist with headlights full on, approaching another car, should switch his lights to "dim." One has not to look far for the reason.

Yet my experience in this part of the world is that this is a practice that is sadly neglected. I think that horse traffic is entitled to this small consideration as much as the motorist. As recently as Monday I was motoring along a well-lighted thoroughfare and was so dazzled by the headlights of an approaching car, which were fully switched on, that I was forced to pull in to the side of the road, almost failing to notice a cyclist who was approaching, admittedly, on his wrong side. Surely it is time that the police should exert themselves in this matter in the interests of public safety! Military cars are not free from transgression in this respect; but they may have good reasons for transgressing, and, so far as they are concerned, it may be admitted that "necessity knows no law."—Yours, etc.,

E. W. TOMLINSON.

Fairy Hill, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, November 16th, 1922.

TRAINED NURSES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The Irish Organisation of Trained Nurses is to be run on quite different lines from the Nurses' and Midwives' Union. The organisation, as stated at the Mansion House meeting, is entirely for the mutual benefit and welfare of trained nurses. They will have complete control of their own finance, and all positions, honorary and paid, in connection with the organisation will be held by nurses.

Why do not the midwives, who number more than three-fourths of the Nurses' and Midwives' Union, organise on the same principle, thereby raising the whole profession of trained nursing to its proper *status*?—Yours, etc.,

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11 Harcourt street, Dublin. November 17th, 1922.

MILK DEFICIENT OF FATS.

In the Southern Police Court, Dublin, yesterday, before Mr. Collins, K.C., George Dagg, of Newcastle, Co. Wicklow, was summoned for selling new milk adulterated by the addition of 3.5 per cent. of its weight in water and deficient of 10 per cent. of its fats. The sample was taken by Inspector Tutty at Harcourt street Railway Station while the milk was in course of transit.

The defendant said that he always sold the milk as it came from the cow, but he had trouble and loss by milk being taken out of his cans.

A fine of £2 was imposed.

Mr. H. Bonass, solicitor, prosecuted for the Dublin Corporation.

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SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

St. Patrick's Cathedral.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins. Psalms, xcv., xcvi. Te Deum, Jubilate, in G. Anthem, "Children, pray ..." (Spohr). Hymn 524 (2). The ... Preacher, the Ven. H. R. Brett, Prebendary. 12.15, Holy Communion (Choral). Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, Harwood in A flat. Offertory ... Martin. Hymn during Communion, "Soul of J..." 3.15 p.m. Psalms, ... Taylor in F. Anthem, etc.—"Seek ye the ..." (Roberts). Hymn 39, "Saviour, again to Thy ... Name." 2nd, "Behold, all flesh is as grass" (Brahms). Preacher, the Ven. H. R. Brett, Prebendary.

Christ Church Cathedral.—11, Matins. ... 95, 96. Te Deum, Benedictus, Stainer in E. Introit, "O taste and see" (Sullivan). 11.40, Communion, Stainer in E flat. Preacher, Canon ... Hymns, 11, 215. 3.30, Evensong. Psalms, 99, 100. Magnificat and Nunc Dim., Stainer in ... Anthems, "Holy Father, clear our way" (...). "O Gladsome Light" (Sullivan). Hymn 367.

The Royal Hospital, Kilmainham.—11.15, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

Chapel of Trinity College.—8, Holy Communion. 10, Mattins, the Regius Professor of Divinity.

College of St. Columba.—8, Holy Communion. Morning Service. Te Deum, Jubilate, Boyce. Anthem, "Sing a song of praise" (Stainer). "O day of rest and gladness." The Bishop of ... 7.30, Evening Service. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Lloyd in F. Anthem, "Ave Verum" (Mozart). "Abide with me."

St. Matthias'.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. ... Hughes (Girl Guides' Parade Service).

St. Ann's, Dawson street.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Rev. J. W. Crozier. 3.30 ... 7, Rev. J. H. Alcock.

Haggotrath Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Canon Mervyn. 7, Rev. E. Dawson.

Rathmines Parish Church.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10, Litany, Canon Lewis-Crosby. 11.30, Canon Lewis-Crosby. 3.30, Rev. H. G. Ford. 7, Canon Mervyn. Mag. and Nunc, Garrett. Anthem, "O Gladsome Light" (Sullivan).

Christ Church, Leeson Park.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. Bell. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Canon Phair.

St. Columba's Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, J. Tobias. 7 p.m., Rev. W. Bell.

St. Peter's.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. Tobias. 7, Rev. ... 3.30, Children's Prayer and Holy Communion.

St. Stephen's.—8, 10 (with Litany), and 11.30 (Choral), Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and ... 7, Evening Prayer. 4, Children's Service. 7, Evensong and Sermon. Organ recital after Evensong.

Magdalen Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Communion, Rev. J. C. Forrester. 7, Rev. ... Moncrieff Cox.

St. Michan's, Church street.—11.30 and 7. ... St. Paul's.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. ... Young. 7, Rev. E. L. Ledwich.

St. Bartholomew's.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Sung Eucharist. ... 6.30, Litany. 7, Evensong. Alexander Hardy.

St. George's.—8 a.m., Holy Communion. Holy Communion, Rev. R. Watson. 7, the Rev. ...

St. Aidan's.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. ... Verschoyle. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Cummins.

St. Augustine's.—11.30, the Rector. 3.30, Service. 7, Holy Communion, Rev. R. Watson.

The Free Church.—11.30, Rev. G. J. F. Verschoyle. T. Cummins. 7 p.m., Rev. G. J. F. Verschoyle.

Drumcondra Parish.—8, Holy Communion. H. C. Cave. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. ... Hamilton.

North Strand Parish.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. N. H. Hamilton. 7, Rev. ... O. Cave.

St. Andrew's Parish, Suffolk street.—11.30, ... Northridge. 4, Children's Service. 7, Evensong and Holy Communion, Rev. R. Northridge.

Molyneux Church.—11.30, Morning Service. ... Evening Service and Holy Communion, Rev. A. M...

St. Mary's Parish.—11.30, Rev. J. ... 7, Rev. J. R. Colthurst.

St. Mary's Chapel of Ease.—11.30, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty. 3, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty. Evening Prayer and Holy Communion. Weinberger.

St. Catherine's.—11.30, Rev. C. R. K... Canon Thompson.

St. Victor's.—8 and 11.30, Canon Thompson. Children's Service. 7, Rev. C. R. Kitchin.

St. Thomas's.—11.30, Rev. H. W. Don... 7, Rev. D. H. Hall.

St. Barnabas's.—11.30, Rev. D. H. Hall. Rev. H. W. Donald.

St. Werburgh's Parish.—9, Holy Communion. Rev. W. J. McCreery. 7, Rev. W. W. Du...

St. Mark's.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Communion, Rev. J. Carson. 7, Rev. E. C. H...

Rotunda Hospital Chapel.—11.30 a.m., ...

St. James's Parish.—11.30, Rev. J. Cra... 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion, Saunderson Griffin.

St. James's District Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. William Anderson. 3.30, Children. 7, Rev. William Anderson.

St. Jude's, Kilmainham.—11.30 (Holy Communion) and 7, Rev. J. W. Browne.

St. Audoen's.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Communion. 7, Rev. A. Elliott.

Mission to the Deaf, Dawson street.—3 ... Elliott.

Female Orphan House, N.C.R.—11.30, Service and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Service.

St. Kevin's, S.C. road.—11.30, Rev. C... 3.30 p.m., Children's Service. 7, Holy ... Rev. Richard Bird.

All Saints', Grangegorman.—8, Holy ... 11.30, Matins and Holy Eucharist (Sung) ... song.

Harold's Cross Parish.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. J. Longheed. 7, Canon ...

Clontarf Parish Church.—11.30, Morning ... Holy Communion, Rev. John Connell. ... Service. 7, Rev. J. P. Shearman.

Mission Church, Townsend street.—11...

T. C. Hammond.

Zion Church.—8, Holy Communion ... Rev. E. M. Bateman. 7, Rev. L. Parkin...

Rathfarnham.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Communion. 3.30, Childrens Service. ... Prayer.

St. Mobhi's.—11.30, Holy Communion. Prayer and Sermon.

Mariners' Church, Kingstown.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and H... Rev. E. C. Hodges. 3.30, Children's ... J. Devlin. 7, Rev. W. L. Roberts.

St. Philip's, Milltown.—11.30, Rev. ... thwaite. 3.30, Mr. A. L. B. Moore. 7, Rev. ... and Holy Communion, Rev. J. Harthorn...

Christ Church, Kingstown.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. ... song.

Sandford Parish.—8, Holy Communion. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Dungan. 4, Children's Service. 7, ... Browne.

Tullow Parish Church, Carrickmines. ... ing Prayer and Holy Communion. 4, ...

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Abbey Church, Rutland square.—11... Adelaide Road.—11.30 and 7, Rev. ... St. Andrew's, Blackrock.—11.30 ... Snowdon.

Bray.—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. H. ... Chapelizod.—4.30, Rev. A. Gailey. Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. L. ... Donore.—11.30 and 7, Rev. G. T. ...

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SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

St. Patrick's Cathedral.—8, Holy Communion. 11.15, Matins. Psalms, xcvi. Te Deum, Jubilate, Dean Macan. Anthem, "Children, practise diligence" (Sir C. V. Stanford). The "Sprightly Horn" (Purcell). Hymns, 151, 154, 157, 159. Preacher, the Rev. H. R. Brett, Prebendary of Tassagard. 12.15, Holy Communion. 3, Evensong. Psalms, xlv. Glorie, Harwood in A flat. Offertory, 2, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, Amen, Harwood in A flat. Magnificat, Martin. Hymns during Communion, 153, 156, 160. Chaplain's Week. 3.15 p.m., Sermon by the Rev. N. Dim. Coleridge. Anthems, etc.—1st, "Seek ye the Lord" (Taylor in F. Organ). 2nd, "Behold, how good and joyful a thing it is" (Bridge). 3rd, "Behold, all flesh is as grass" (Brahms). Hymn, 7. Preacher, the Rev. H. R. Brett, Prebendary of Tassagard.

St. Michan's Church Cathedral.—11, Matins. Psalms, 95, 96. To Deum, Benedictus, Stainer in B flat. Introit, "O taste and see" (Sullivan). 11.40, Holy Communion, Stainer in B flat. Preacher, Canon Pope. Hymns, 141, 214, 330, 340. Offertory, 98, 99. Sanctus, Kyrie, and Nunc Dim., Stainer in B flat. 7.00, Matins. Father clear our way" (Kitson). "O Gladsome Light" (Stainer). Hymn 367.

The Royal Hospital, Kilmainham.—11.15, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

Trinity College.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins, the Rector Professor Lindsay. 11.30, College of the Oaklands. 12, Holy Communion. 3, Morning Service. To Deum, Jubilate, Boyce in A. Talbot.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Alexander Ryan. Anthem, "Sing a song of gladness." The Bishop of Tuam. Ordination service. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis. 30, Evening Service. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis (Mozart). Hymn, Blest in P. Anthem, "Ave Verum" (Mozart). Hymn, Abide with me.

St. Matthias'.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Children's Service. 7, Rev. A. E. Ing Prayer.

Alexandra (Girl Guides' Parade Service).

St. Ann's, Dawson street.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. W. Crozier. 3.30 and 7, Evensong. Rev. J. H. Alcock.

St. Bartholomew's Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Canon Mervyn. 7, Rev. W. J. Dawson.

Booterstown Parish Church.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Litany, Canon Lewis. 7, Evensong. Rev. Lewis-Crosby, M.C. Rev. G. Fords 7. Canon Lewis-Crosby, Mag. and Nunc, Garrett in D. Communion Service, Merrymn. Anthem, "O Gladsome Light" (Tallis).

St. Bride's Church, Lesson Park.—8, Holy Communion. Christ Church, Leeson Park.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. Bell. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. Tobias. 7, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. Tobias. 7, Rev. W. Bell.

St. Philip's, Milltown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. Tobias. 7, Rev. W. Bell.

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Christ Church, Kingstown.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Choral Evensong.

Sandford Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. W. Wynne. 4, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. A. Browne.

Tullow Parish Church, Carrickmines.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. W. Wynne. 7, Evening Prayer and Sermon, Rev. A. Browne.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

Abbey Church, Parliament square.—11.45 and 7, Adelaide Road.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. K. Hanna.

St. Andrew's, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Snowden.

Rose.—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. H. P. Gibbs.

Sharpleigh.—8, Rev. Alex. Gailey.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. T. G. Morrow.

Donore.—11.30 and 7, Rev. G. T. C. Clements.

Greystones.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. S. Kirkpatrick.

Howth.—11.30 and 7, Rev. H. C. Waddell.

Kingstown.—11.30 and 7, Rev. F. S. Gardiner.

Lucan.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Galley.

Malahide.—4, Rev. H. C. Waddell.

Monkstown.—11.30 and 7, Rev. F. C. Gibson.

Rathmines (Christ Church).—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. H. Monahan (Wesley Hall, Bray).

Sandymount.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

United Free Church of Scotland (Lr. Abbey street).—12 and 7, Rev. J. K. Macpherson.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

Abbey street.—11.30, Rev. Herbert H. Coghill.

Clonliffe.—11.30, Rev. W. J. Robinson. 7, Rev. J. T. Dixon.

Blackhall Place.—11, Rev. R. C. Roddie. 7, Rev. Herbert H. Cornish.

Inchicore.—11, Rev. J. T. Dixon. 7, Rev. R. C. Roddie.

Lucan.—11.30 and 7, Rev. S. T. Boyd.

Mountjoy road.—11, Rev. Herbert H. Cornish. 7, Rev. James M. Alley.

Rathmines road.—11, Rev. Bernard M. Aller. 7, Rev. F. W. Young. 4, young people's Service.

Sandymount.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Wm. L. Cosbie.

Ringsend.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Benson D. Gutteridge.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. W. Hutchinson.

Grosvenor.—11.30, Rev. T. W. A. Campbell. 7, Dr. Irwin.

Centenary.—11.30, Rev. William Crawford. 7, Rev. B. Brocas Morton.

Kingsland Park.—11.30, Rev. Rendall C. Phillips. 7, Rev. Wesley H. Lumley.

Dolphin's Barn.—11.30, Rev. B. Brocas Morton. 7, Rev. Rendall C. Phillips.

Kingstown.—11 and 7, Rev. J. A. Duke.

Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Dr. Carrothers.

Talbot.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Alexander Ryan.

Bray.—11.30 and 7, Dr. Pope.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

Moravian Church.—11.30, Rev. Mr. Budd.

Kilmainham Congregational Church.—11.30, Rev. Philip Hughes. 7, Sergeant-Major Bending.

Congregational Church, Byrne street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Rendall C. Phillips.

Baptist Church, Phibsborough.—11.30 and 7, J. W. Pearce.

Unitarian Church, Kingstown.—11.30, Mr. A. R. Bustin. 7, Mr. Odeh Wallace.

Unitarian Church, St. Stephen's Green.—12 and 7, Rev. J. Savell Hicks.

The Salvation Army.—South Richmond street—Welcome and Knee Drill, Major Barker. 11, Holiness meeting, Captain Adjutant and Mrs. Hamil. Will give reminiscences from missionary work in India. Lowe Abbey street.—32nd Anniversary Services, by Commandant Lawson. Parnell street.—Knee Drill and Holiness meeting, Captain Lowe. 3.30, Public meeting, Captain Lowe. 7, Salvation meeting, Captain Lowe. Brunswick Hall, 28a Great Brunswick street.—8.30 p.m.

Patrician Hall.—12, Mr. T. R. Sparks. 8.15, Mr. J. Clarke.

Society of Friends.—6 Eustace street, 11, Monkstown, 11 and 7; Churchtown, Dundrum, 11; Bray (Assembly Rooms, West Wing), 11.30; 83a Rathmines road, 11.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin, is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., 25 Molesworth street.—Sunday Service, 11.30 a.m.; Sunday School, immediately after the morning service. Wednesday Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Free Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin, Rathmines Park (at corner of Rathmines road and Zion road).—First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.—Services, at which all are welcome, Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Reading Room, open daily, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday, 3 to 5 p.m. Sunday, November 19th, Lesson Sermon—"Soul and Body."

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

Church of Ireland Y.M.C.A., 8 Dawson street.—8.30 p.m., Gospel address by Mr. J. Lyons Evan.

Rathmines Y.M.C.A.—10.15, Mr. C. G. Warner. 4, Mr. R. H. Ward. 8.350.

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Among the other passenger steamers built during this period are the City of Paris, Tasso, and the City of Simla. The building programme is being continued, and a further large new passenger steamer will be commissioned early next year. She will be named City of Canterbury, after the well-known city liner, which was a favourite among the Indian travelling public in the eighties.

NEW ZEALAND WOOL SALES.

At the first wool sale of the series, held at Christchurch, there was a remarkable—almost sensational—advance in wools of 48 grade and over. Competition was very keen. Merinos advanced by 5d. to 6d., compared with May. Fifty's and fifty-six's advanced by 5d., forty-eight's by 4d., and forty-four's by 2d. The top prices realised were:—Perfection, 29½d.; forty-six's and forty-eight's, 18½d.; coarse crossbred, 13d.; romney, 12d. The total offering of 4,700 bales was sold.

STORE CATTLE SALES.

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There were not many cattle sent forward for this week's sale; and the attendance of buyers was not up to the average; still, on the whole, there was a fair selling trade, and the cattle were placed at little variation from last week's prices. Poor and thinner sorts were more difficult to negotiate, and made rather less money. The following are some of the prices realised:—Bullocks, £22 10/-, £22, £21 5/-, £20 7/6, £20 5/-, £19 7/6, £19 2/6, £18 10/-, £18, £17 5/-, £17, etc.; heifers, £20 10/-, £19 15/-, £19 7/6, £19, £18 10/-, £17 7/6, £16 5/-, £16, etc. The top price per cwt. (48/-) was obtained for a choice pen of Aberdeen Angus polly heifers, the property of Mr. James Flannery.

Messrs. Gavin Low, Ltd.

There was another very good show of cattle at above firm's sale on Thursday, and with a good attendance of home and cross-Channel feeders, a good clearance was effected at prices slightly lower than last week. Horned bullocks and heifers made from £25 to £13, or from 42/6 to 35/- polls, £23 5/- to £13 10/-, or from 41/- to 46/- 1.t. crosses, £21 15/- to £14 17/6, or from 47/6 to 37/- Hereford crosses, £20 to £13 5/-, or from 41/6 to 35/- to 4/- bare 9/- to 10/-, earned 3/- to 4/-, bullocks 4/- to 5/-, cows 3/- to 3/- per stone.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

BIRKENHEAD, Friday.—Supplies—2,700 cattle and 1,000 lambs. Trade finished bullocks and heifers of improved demand, making 2d. per bullocks and heifers sound 9d. Secondary classes sets slow trade, at 6d. to 8d. Small supply lambs last steady sale at about late rates.

GLASGOW MARKET REPORT, 15th November, 1922.—Hegarty and Kelly, 278 Duke street, Glasgow, report average supplies of fat cattle in to-day's market for all classes there was a steady demand at late rates. Sheep were a small show and dearer. Telegrams—Hegarty, Glasgow. —(Advt.)

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Friday.—The attendance on our Exchange continues rather disappointing and business of rather narrow dimensions, with a want of confidence in values generally. Barley is a very depressed commodity and most difficult to place for malting qualities bid for at from 15/6 to 16/-, but many holders refuse to entertain these offers. For Grinding descriptions proportionately low, a considerable concentration of the deliveries of barley recently have been rejected on the point of quality and being difficult to sample. The same remarks apply to rye, and top figure of the moment appears to be 12/6 per 45/- per barrel. With regard to native wheat the reduction value of foreign cereals has somewhat affected the price of wheat of late, 24/- to 25/6 per barrel may be considered average run of sound samples, but up to 26/- has been paid for very superior quality, and, as with barley, best prices are rather disappointing to sellers. Oats have got a slight shaking in prices; blacks rate from 13/3 to 13/6, but prime clipped and screened qualities figure around 16/- and 16/6 per barrel. White oats of really choice description are scarce, and country parcels purchased recently have been from 14/6 to 15/- per barrel on rail, which, with powerage freight and expenses, would put them in store in Dublin. However, the ordinary run of white oats may still be had within 13/6 to 14/- per barrel.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Friday.—WHEAT—Large market to-day quiet, but fully steady in value. No. 1 Northern Manitoba, December sellers 31/-; Canadian quality late November 30/-, Australian mid-January 32/6, Pahrumy-March 30/-, Plate December-January 32/-, steamer afloat sellers 33/74, November-December 30/3, Pahrumy-March 30/-, French firm; Plate December-January and January-February sold 35/1½ per 480lbs. BARLEY steady, quiet; Dan-Rossa, Kus, steamer loading sells; 31/-, November 30/-. Parcels weaker; No. 2 Canadian Western November 30/-, No. 4 ditto 29/-, nothing American offering. November 29/-, Australian December-January 48/-, Karachi November-December 33/9 per 400lbs; Californian unsaltered. OATS—Market slow; Plate f.a.q. November-December sellers 25/-, December-January 29/8, January-February 29/-. No. 2 Canadian Western November-December 29/-, No. 2 feed 26/-, per 320lbs.

MARK LANE, Friday.—ENGLISH WHEAT steady; whites sold to 47/- per 496/., ords 47/6 to 49/-. Foreign grades maintained; No. 1 Northern Manitoba 53/6 ex ship, No. 2 mixed Darnia 50/- ex ship, Rosafe (63¼lbs.) 54/3 ex ship. FLOUR steady, quiet; Canadian exports patents 40/-, 44/6 ex store, Minneapolis first patents 44/6 to 45/- ex store, London standard straight run 41/6 ex mill, Australian patents 41/- ex store GRINDING BARLEY dull; Feeding 30/-, 32/- ex store. OATS quiet; imported weak; English 29/-, 31/- per 312lbs. MAIZE firm; mixed American 39/6 ex store, 38/- landed. Plate 36/6 ex store, 38/- landed.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.—WHEAT—Cheaper cables turned out hardly as good as expected, and Argentine was easier, which caused speculative realisations, but wheat is dire fairly at the outset for distant months; sellers, however, were scarce, and value afterwards improved, December being in demand from shorts to cover; moderate fluctuations ensued, but final rates were up at best, and showed a smart rise for the week. Manitoba October-November and afloat sold at 49/6, November-December 48/5, May 45/6, Argentine parcels, January-February 48/5, May 45/6, Australian parcels, December-January 47/7½ to 47/9 Manchester, Barril 62·11bs. afloat and shipping 49/1, Australian parcels, December-January 47/7½ to 47/9 Manchester, Barril 62·11bs. afloat and shipping 49/1, yellow and mixed American arrived 35/-. Wheat on the spot was quiet and prices occasionally 1d. per cental lower over Tuesday's market rates, Maize—Spot parcels firm as late rates of 7/9 to 7/10 for American mixed to 7/11 per cental for Plate. FLOUR showed no alterations. Graded red wheat futures opened 1d. lower on Monday, but later improving, closed 1d. per cental with December 14d., March 4d., and May 4d. per cental dearer on the day. Maize options nominal.

WALKERVILLE, Friday.—Supply of grain wheat steady at 40/- to 44/- per qr., malting barley trade stagnant at 35/- to 45/- per qr., grinding barley to 30/- per qr., oats plentiful at 27/- to 30/- per qr., seeding stuffs easier.

PROVISIONS.

LONDON, Friday.—BUTTER—Dutch and Danish dull and easier, but Colonial steady. The market is now more freely supplied. Dutch creameries 210/- to 215/-, finest 216/-, Danish 208/- to 212/-, finest 213/- to 214/-, finest 215/-, choicest 216/-, Siberian 212/- to 214/-, finest 215/-, Australian 208/- to 209/-, finest 210/-, New Zealand, finest 212/- to 214/-, unsalted, 209/- to 210/-, Argentine 196/- to 204/-, Canadian 196/- to 200/-, unsalted 190/- to 210/-, Irish creameries 190/- to 200/-, unsalted 190/- to 210/-, finest 214/-, choice 196/-. New Zealand, finest 212/- to 214/-, unsalted, secondary 208/-, Argentine 196/- to 204/-, Canadian, finest 200/-, choice 196/-, Irish creameries 190/- to 200/-, unsalted 190/- to 210/-, finest 214/-, choice 196/-. Australian parcels, December-January 208/- to 209/-, finest 210/-, Australian

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ARTHUR COX and CO., Solicitors, 6 Stephen's Green.

THE FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS

include: Full-sized Billiard Table, by Burroughes and Watts, with Accessories; Mahogany Sideboard, with mirror back; Telescope Dining Table, Sets of Dining Chairs, good Cottage Pianoforte; Chesterfield Settees; Lounge, Easy, and Occasional Chairs; Mahogany China Cabinets, practically new Carpets, Suites of Curtains, Ornamental China and Bric-a-brac; Pictures, Hall Clock, Bedroom Suites, Antique Corner Desk, Toilet Glasses, Toilet Ware; Brass Fenders, Brass Fire Sets and Coal Helmets, Axminster, Turkey and other Carpets and Rugs, Inlaid and Brass Clocks, Chesterfield Settees, Brass-mounted Empire Writing Table, with Chair to match; Sunderland and Yacht Tables, Half-round Sheraton Card Table, Fair Marquetry Inlaid Chairs, Inlaid and other Clocks, Bronze and Ormolu Vases, Sheraton Inlaid Bureau, Revolving Bookstand and Books, Stationery Cabinet, with cylinder front; Oak Sideboard, with mirror back; Oak Dinner Wagon, Telescope Dining Table, Set of 12 Chairs, upholstered seats and backs in leather; Marble Clock, Fire Sets, large Four-fold Scrap Screen, Marqueiry Inlaid Hall Clock, large Chippendale pattern Hall Table, on cabriole legs, claw feet; Persiana Rugs, Nelson Mahogany Sideboard, Mahogany Dining Tables, Ebonised and Mahogany Cabinets.

PICTURES: Two large Landscape Paintings, old Italian Painting, with figures; Venetian Scenes, domestic interiors and religious subjects of the French and English Schools, three important Mezzotint Engravings after Constable, by David Lucas (Young Waltonians), and others; a number of Coloured Engravings from the La Touche Collection, large Pictures and modern Engravings, including the Duchess of Devonshire; also a large number of Sporting Coloured Prints.

SILVER AND PLATED WARE: Circular Silver Dish on Stand, Silver Sugar Dredger, Cream Jug, Mustard Pots, Pepper Casters, Mugs, Cups etc.; the Plated items include large Plated Lamp, fitted for, electric light with shade; Sheffield Plated Salvers, Bottle Frames, Pierced Sugar Basin, Coasters, Plated Coffee Pot, Tea and Coffee Service, Toast Racks, Fish and Fruit Eaters, Salad Servers, Tankards, Biscuit Baskets, Cake Baskets, Entree Dishes, Knives, Forks, Sheffield Plated Sauce Boats, Dish Covers, Kettles and Stands, etc., etc.

BOOKS: Anglo-Saxon Review, Mark Twain's Works (limited editions), Encyclopedia of Sport, Burke's Works, International Library of famous Literature, Encyclopedia Britannica, History of England, and numerous other important works.

Chippendale pattern Bedroom Suite, with Tallboy Chest Drawers to match; Antique Cheval Mirror, Antique Toilet Glasses, White Enamel Bedroom Suite and extra Wardrobe, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Ash and Walnut Bedroom Suites, Toilet Table, Sheraton Toilet Table, Duchesse Pairs, Mahogany Chest Drawers, Walnut Glass-door Cupboard, Ash Bedroom Suite, Mahogany Dwarf Wardrobe, All-Brass and Brass-Mounted Bedsteads, with Spring and Hair Mattresses; Bedding, and large quantity of Linen, and all the usual Furnishings of nine Bedrooms, particulars of which are too numerous to detail; Kitchen Dresser, Cupboards, Tables and Culinary Utensils.

OFFICE FITTINGS, including exceptional Writing Desk, with cylinder front; Amberg Filing Cabinets, about 80 Files, Stools, Baskets, etc., etc.

OUTDOOR EFFECTS will include the Plants in several greenhouses; Work Bench, with vice, tools, etc.; Wire Netting, Incubator, Fowl Runs, about nine large Fowl Houses with runs, Forcing Frames, Wheel Barrows, Galvanised Bins, Lawn Mowers, Ladders, large Roller, Dredger, Tiles, etc., etc.

ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS FROM 10 to 5.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

JAMES J. SCANNELL'S AUCTIONS.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH, 1922, AND 6 FOLLOWING DAYS.

CLONSILLA GRANGE, CLONSILLA, CO. DUBLIN.

JAMES J. SCANNELL has been favoured with instructions by MAJOR DURHAM MATTHEWS

TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH, AND 6 FOLLOWING DAYS, THE ABOVE

CHARMING RESIDENCE AND 96 ACRES 1 ROOD 7 PERCHES PRIME LAND, TOGETHER WITH

ENTIRE FURNISHING AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS.

THE HOUSE contains large hall, dininggroom, drawingroom, library, boudoir, winter garden; 11 bedrooms, 3 dressingrooms, 3 bathrooms. Servants' wing contains: 7 servants' rooms and bathroom. Kitchen, with 2 separate ranges. Larder dairy, scullories, pantries, etc., tiled floors. Central heating throughout house. 2 separate hot-water systems; special electric force pumps in connection with heating; 3 fire hydrants; 11 loose horse-boxes, with accommodation for stable lads; 2 gate lodges; 1 bungalow; farm buildings, etc.; motor garage; harness rooms. The house, yard and stables are lit by electricity. Fruit and vegetable garden; greenhouses; hard tennis court; and 96 acres prime land, with water laid on in every field.

CLONSILLA GRANGE is within 3 minutes' walk of Clonsilla Station, M.G.W.R., and 8 miles from Dublin. G.I. and R.C. churches and post office in immediate vicinity. Hunting 6 days a week. Meath and Kildare Foxhounds and Ward Union Staghounds.

The House stands on part of the Lands of Clonsilla and Kilshenstown, containing 40a. 3r. 4p. Statute measure, held for ever with other lands under Fee-farm Grant, at an annual fee-farm rent of £204 7s. 10d. The other lands, subject to said rent, contain 58a. 2r. 14p., Statute measure. The present owner receives out of these lands an annual rent of £99 10s. 2d., which will be conveyed to purchaser.

Adjoining the Grange are 55a. 2r. 3p., Statute measure, held for ever in conjunction with other lands, subject to an annual fee-farm rent of £385 4s. 0d., indemnified from £310 1s. 10d. thereof by the remaining lands subject thereto, which contain 281a. 1r. 10p.

House and Lands will be Sold on the Premises at 12 o'clock on Monday, November 20th.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from

BARRINGTON & SONS, Solicitors, Ely place, Dublin.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE, CHINA, CUT GLASS, OIL PAINTINGS, COLOURED PRINTS, WINES, &c.

THE FURNISHINGS IN THE DRAWINGROOM consist of some rare specimens in antique Chippendale, Sheraton Adams and Hepplewhite; oil paintings and colour prints, Waterford cut glass wall bracket, Buhl French clock and bracket, one 8-light gilt chandelier, fitted for electricity; 12-light ditto; a quantity of old china, including some rare pieces in Chelsea, Rockingham, Worcester, Minton, Sevres, Spode, Dresden Famille-vert, and Famille-rose, etc.; pink Axminster carpet, silk curtains, pianola, by Stak, etc., etc.

DININGROOM: 16 feet antique Chippendale dining table, with hall and claw feet; serpentine front Sheraton sideboard, Adams side-table, six antique mahogany Chippendale chairs and carvers to match; club fender, carved and gilt wood overmantel, antique coal helmets; 166-piece Crown Derby dinner set, two sets blue, white, and gold dinner services, quantity cut-glass goblets, wine glasses, etc.; Turkey carpet and rug, to match; old oil paintings and colour prints.

IN THE LIBRARY, 14ft. antique Hepplewhite bookcase, 12ft. mahogany dining table, with carved cabriole legs, antique Chippendale card tables and tray-top tables, two antique Queen Anne chairs, upholstered in morocco; roll-top desk, 6ft. Sheraton book case, settees and divan easy chairs, Exhibition Japanese cabinet, old colour prints and engravings, etc., etc.

HALL: 6ft. antique carved oak book table, antique Cromwellian chair (once the property of Dean Swift), six carved oak chairs, and two carving chairs to match, upholstered in red velvet; Wilton carpet, antique jardinieres, coal helmets, silk curtains and draperies, etc., etc.

OLD WATERFORD CUT GLASS: salad bowls, tankards, candlesticks, goblets, finger bowls, etc., etc.

BEDROOMS: Antique Sheraton and Chippendale wardrobes and chest of drawers, antique mahogany and oak tallboys, all-brass and mahogany twin bedsteads and bed linen, antique mahogany occasional chairs Chippendale and Queen Anne; several rare old Persian rugs, oil paintings, engravings, and colour prints.

WINES: Quantity of rare old port, 1896 Cockburn and Dow; champagnes, 1848 liqueur brandy, etc.

OUTDOOR EFFECTS: About 200 tons of 1st and 2nd cross hay, about 30 long loads mangolds, 2 cows, 2 farm horses, carts, and harness; reaping machine, slag distributor, hay rakes, lawn mowers, ploughs, etc. The plants in winter garden and green houses, with garden seats, sundial, etc.

THOROUGHBREDS: Pineknot, brood mare, in foal to Hainault; bay mare, two years old, by Flying Orb—Fluffy Ruffles; bay mare, two years old, by Lemberg—Fairy Music; foal by Louvois—Pineknot.

On View To-day (Saturday), Nov. 18th, from 10 o'c. to 4 p.m.

Illustrated Catalogues, 2/6 each, which will admit to View and to Auction.

Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Auctioneer's fees. Sale starts each day at 11.30.

CHAR-A-BANCS LEAVE CARLISLE BUILDINGS EACH DAY AT 10.30.

JAMES J. SCANNELL.

AUCTIONEER AND VALUER,

4 BACHELOR'S WALK, DUBLIN.

Established 1815. 'Phones 48 and 49.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH,

AT OUR SALEROOMS, No. 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, AT 1.30 O'C.

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

TO HOTEL PROPRIETORS, COLLEGES, FLAT OWNERS, &c.

110, 111 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

THE COMMODIOUS WELL-APPOINTED PREMISES, 110, 111 STEPHEN'S GREEN, OCCUPYING A FIRST RATE POSITION OVERLOOKING STEPHEN'S GREEN—

Containing 5 reception and 22 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms, 5 w.c.'s, 2 linen rooms, cloakrooms, etc.; large dining hall basement, kitchen, close range; servant' rooms, and usual domestic offices.

No. 110 is held for 200 years from 1823 subject to £61 2s. 3d.

No. 111 is held for ever, subject to £47 15s. 6d.

The shop of No. 111 is let to monthly tenant at £108 per annum, which is much under the value, and can be greatly increased, leaving property rent free. Clear possession except shop, but tenancy therein is determinable on a month's notice.

Further particulars and conditions of sale from

Messrs. CROWLEY & BOLGER, Solicitors, 52 Lower Sackville Street.

CASTLENAU, HERBERT AVENUE, MERRION.

DOUBLE-FRONTED. SEMI-DETACHED. GOOD GARDEN.

Bright, sunny House. Conveniently situated, close to tram, containing hall, drawingroom, dininggroom, with front and back windows, 3 bedrooms, dressingroom, bath (h. & c.), and w.c.; separate w.c., breakfastroom serviced from kitchen (G.I.), scullery (h. & c.), large well-kept garden, with room or bands. Held from Lord Pembroke for 75 years from 1886, subject to £9 10s. 0d. per annum. Clear possession to purchaser. Seen daily 11 to 1 o'clock, or by appointment.

P. M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green.

B. & Co. 16 KILLEEN ROAD, RATHMINES. Nov. 30TH.

NEAT COMPACT HOUSE, WITH POSSESSION.

Contains sittingroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, servant's room, scullery, w.c., garden.

Held for 800 years, subject to £3 10s. per annum. Clear possession to purchaser. Key at No. 18.

Messrs. HOEY and DENNING, Solicitors, 12 Trinity street.

B. & Co. 30 FITZWILLIAM PLACE. Nov. 30TH.

COMMODIOUS TOWN RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION.

Interest in the Lease of this desirable Town Residence situated in a favourite position, containing study, dininggroom, 2 drawingrooms, 6 bedrooms, return room, 2 servants' rooms, bath, hot and cold; gent.'s cloak room, 3 w.c.'s, tiled kitchen, scullery, and usual domestic offices; garden, stabling, and coach house or garage, loft, &c.

Held for 148 years from 1861, subject to adjusted rent of £100 per annum. Possession will be given to purchaser.

Messrs. HAYES and SON, Solicitors, 42 Nassau street.

B. & Co. 4 TIVOLI TERRACE, S., DUN LAOGHAIRE. Nov. 30TH.

DESIRABLY SITUATED, CLEAR POSSESSION.

Held for 99 years from 1907, subject to the adjusted rent of £11 14s. 6d. Clear possession to purchaser.

HENRY B. SURTON and SON, Solicitors, 43 Dame street.

FURNITURE SALE.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, NOV. 22ND—18 ROCK HILL, BLACKROCK.

HAVING SOLD THE HOUSE we are instructed by Mr. Grehan, who has purchased another residence, TO SELL BY AUCTION on the Premises on above date, the entire Furniture and Effects comprising, as follows:—

Chippendale Mahogany China Cabinet, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Ebony Maple and Gilt Frame Pier Mirror, Walnut Overmantels, Carved Walnut Glass Door Bookcase, Highly Manufactured Mahogany Cabinet Sideboard with lofty Mirror Panel Back, Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, two sets of Mahogany Chairs Upholstered in Leather, Oak and Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpets, Brass Fire Furniture, Oil Paintings and Engravings, Lace Curtains, etc., Brass and Iron Bedsteads and Bedding, Carved Walnut and Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Gilt Mirror Door Wardrobe, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, and Spring Maple Oak Hall Stand with Mirror Panel Back and other effects. On view day previous 10 to 4 o'clock. Terms cash and 5 per cent. fees. To prevent overcrowding a nominal charge of 6d. will be made to View and Sale.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS,

39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY.

SALE THIS DAY (SATURDAY) AND MONDAY NEXT.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF

HIGH-CLASS MODERN FURNITURE, PIANOFORTES, DOHERTY ORGAN, FIREPROOF SAFE, CARPETS, ROLL TOP DESK, &c.

Principally comprising:—

Three superior Cottage Pianofortes, by eminent makers; very fine "Doherty" Organ, with four Sets of Reeds, 20 Stops, Double Manuals; superb Mahogany Louis-type Chins Cabinet and Overmantel to match; Mahogany Bookcase, handsome Mahogany Music Cabinet; Sheraton Inlaid Mahogany China Cabinet, of high class manufacture; French Buhl China Cabinet; two very fine Hall Stands, in Oak; beautiful Seven-piece Mahogany Drawingroom Suite, Upholstered in Silk Tapestry; handsome richly-Carved and Lacquered Japanese Two-fold Screen; Nine-piece Light Oak Dining-room Suite, covered in Morocco; Seven-piece Oak-frame Dining-room Suite, in Green Velvet; Brass Oak Fender, Grandfather Clock, in Mahogany Case; superior 6ft. Mahogany Bedroom Suite of five pieces—viz., Wardrobe with Break-front Centre Mirror Door, Duchess Dressing Table with Centre Swing Mirror and Washstand, Marble Top and Back, Pedestal and Towel Rail; Eight-piece Carved Mahogany Panel-back Dining Suite, Hair Stuffed and Upholstered in Morocco; another Eight-piece Rosewood-frame Drawingroom Suite, in Stamped Velvet; Chesterfield and two Easy Chairs, Hair Stuffed and covered in Tapestry; high-class 4ft. 6in. Carved Mahogany Bedstead and Woven-wire and Spring Mattress, as new; 6ft. Sheraton Double Mirror-door Wardrobe, another 6ft. Mahogany Centre Mirror-door Wardrobe, Mahogany Bow-front Chest Drawers; several Mahogany Telescope Screw Dining Tables and Sets of Dining Chairs, handsome Occasional Tables and Chairs, Overmantel Glasses; All-Brass and Black and Brass Bedsteads and Bedding; Bedroom Suites, Dining, Drawing, and Hall Suites in variety; Kitchen Furniture, Mangles, Wardrobes, Presses, Dressers, Pots, Pans, Culinary Utensils, &c.; Pictures, Paintings, Engravings; Silver and Plated Ware, Clocks, Glass, and Ornamental Effects; large Model Yacht, in Mahogany and Glazed Case; WILLIAMS No. 6 Chin. Glass, and Ornamental Effects; large Model Yacht, in Mahogany and Glazed Case; WILLIAMS No. 6 TYPEWRITER, &c., &c. AUCTION COMMENCES ONE O'CLOCK PROMPT. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Fees.

PIANOFORTES AND SUPERIOR FURNITURE SOLD AT 3 P.M.

JAMES HILL & SON, AUCTIONEERS and VALUERS, 10, 11, 12 Bachelor's Walk.

DAWSON STREET SALEROOMS.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS.

BOOKS. BOOKS.

SPECIAL BOOK SALE MONDAY EVENING NEXT, Nov. 20,

COMMENCING AT 8.30 P.M.

HAVING received the LIBRARY of a Gentleman, with special instructions to SELL BY AUCTION HIS VERY RARE COLLECTION of many years, will offer for Sale a Splendid Collection of ANCIENT AND MODERN, WORKS on Fine Arts, History, Biography, Fiction; Unique Works on Ireland, Plays, &c. &c.; also 60 (K) VERY RARE AND VALUABLE STAMP COLLECTIONS, with latest London Valuations, Albums, Catalogues, and by Ticket only, to be obtained from

THOS. F. MULVEY, AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, 47 DAWSON ST., DUBLIN.

USUAL MONTHLY AUCTION OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, PICTURES, AND ALL DOMESTIC REQUIREMENTS, WITH JEWELLERY, CLOTHING, &c., &c., WILL BE HELD

ON FRIDAY NEXT, 24TH NOVEMBER, AT 12 O'CLOCK,

Usual Conditions of Sale and Five per cent. Auction Fees.

THOMAS F. MULVEY, AUCTIONEER,

47 DAWSON STREET.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION EVERY THURSDAY. ENTRIES INVITED GANLY, SONS & CO., USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

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MESSRS. BENNETT & SON, LIMITED.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,

6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

ESTABLISHED 1803. 'PHONE 376, DUBLIN.

FORTHCOMING AUCTIONS.

HIGH-CLASS MODERN FURNITURE.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, WILL SELL BY AUCTION, AT THEIR SALEROOMS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,

ON TUESDAY NEXT, 21ST NOVEMBER INST., AND FOLLOWING DAY,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON, A LARGE COLLECTION OF

SUPERIOR MODERN FURNITURE; PIANOFORTES,

By Blüthner, Brard, and Collard and Collard; Angelus Orchestrelle; Turkey, Axminster, and Brussels Carpets; Mahogany Cabinet and Pedestal Sideboards, Dining Tables Mahogany Chairs, Dinner Wagons, Walnut Suite, in leather; Bookcases, Marquetry and Walnut Display Cabinets, Inlaid Overmantels, and Gilt Mirrors, three Mahogany Bookcases, Antique Bureau do., Sheraton, Rosewood, and Mahogany Card and Writing Tables, Inlaid Walnut Drawingroom Suite, Mahogany Plate Buckets, Hall Appointments, in Oak, Walnut, and Mahogany; Paintings and Engravings; Sheraton Style, Walnut and Ash Bedroom Suites, Mahogany Dressing Chests and Wardrobes, Brass-mounted Bedsteads and Bedding, Toilet Sets; a quantity of Clean, Painted and Deal Furniture; Table Glass and China, Plated Ware, Linoleum, and other Miscellaneous Effects

Also, 80 CASES OF VINTAGE CHAMPAGNES—BOLLINGER, 1911; MONTEBELLO, 1911; HIEDSIECK, 1911—IN BOTTLES AND HALF-BOTTLES.

WHICH MAY BE VIEWED ON MONDAY NEXT. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

ARDAGH HOUSE, ARDAGH, CO. LONGFORD.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM REV. SIR GEORGE RALPH FETHERSTON, BART.,

ON TUESDAY, THE 28TH NOVEMBER, 1922, AND FOLLOWING DAY

COMMENCING AT TWELVE O'CLOCK.

THE ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE

AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS OF THE MANSION,

Including: A Set of Mahogany Chippendale Chairs, with Morocco leather seats; Dining Tables on Economy Frames, Old Brass-bound Plate Buckets and Wine Coolers, Fire Screen, Turkey and Wilton Carpets, Chesterfield Couches and Easy Chairs, upholstered in saddlebags and other materials; Antique Mahogany Writing and Card Tables, Dwarf Bookcases and Cabinets; End-of-room, Mantel, and Convex Mirrors; Sheraton and Chippendale-style Bureaus, Revolving Bookstands, Satinwood Settee and 2 Fauteuils, Carved Oak Hall Furniture, Barograph, Oil Paintings and Water-Colours, Ornamental China, Brass Fenders, Antique Mahogany Wardrobes and Drawers, Break-front Mirror-door Do., Oak and Satin Walnut Suite Single and Double Brass Bedsteads and Bedding, a quantity of excellent Blankets, Eiderdowns, etc.; Sheraton Dressing Tables; Cretonne, Damask, and Lace Curtains; Toilet Ware, and other Bedroom Appointments; Table Glass and China, Plated and Ormolu Lamps, Brass floor do.

AND A SMALL LIBRARY OF BOOKS.

MAY BE VIEWED THE DAY PRECEDING, by Card only, price 1/- each.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

THE GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

ON TUESDAY, THE 5TH DECEMBER, 1922,

ANTIQUE AND MODERN SILVER, COSTLY JEWELS,

OLD SHEFFIELD AND ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, CHINA,

OLD IRISH GLASS, FURS, PIANOS, AND OTHER PROPERTY OF INTEREST AND VALUE.

FROM KELLY'S, 48 FLEET STREET.

CATALOGUES READY ON 29th INST.

THE FINE ARTS.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, beg to announce that they will SELL BY AUCTION, AT THEIR GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,

ON WEDNESDAY, THE 6TH DECEMBER, 1922, AND FOLLOWING DAY,

COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

3,000 OUNCES OF OLD IRISH AND ENGLISH SILVER, including Cups, Tripod Sugar Bowls and Ewers, Candelabra Pierced Epergne, Oval Tray, Waiters and Salvers, Tea Sets, Salt Cellars, Spoons, Forks, etc.

OLD SHEFFIELD AND ELECTROPLATED WARE.

JEWELLERY—A String of 320 Oriental Pearls, Diamond and Ruby Pendant, Diamond and Aquamarine Do., Five-stone Brilliant Bar Brooch, Diamond Cluster and Black Pearl Pendant; Cluster, Half-hoop, and Single-stone Rings; 18ct. Gold Bag, set with Diamonds and Rubies; Watches, Chains, Necklets, etc.

OIL PAINTINGS OF THE OLD AND MODERN SCHOOLS, including important works by, or attributed to, Franz Hals, Sieenwyck, Campidaglio, Ostade, Bronwer, Breughel, Laini, Handreoster, W. Shayer, James Ward, Morland, Collins, Sidney Cooper, Alfred Elmore, R.A., and Mrs. Hall.

WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS by Birkett Foster, J. H. Mole, E. Hayes, etc.

ENGRAVINGS, MINIATURES, BIJOUTERIE, AND CURIOS; OLD CUT-GLASS; OLD DRESDEN, SEVRES, WORCESTER, SWANSEA, and Oriental Porcelain, and other Works of Art. Catalogues of which may be had a week prior to Sale, and the Collection Viewed two days preceding.

ST. HELENS, BOOTERSTOWN, CO. DUBLIN.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, are favoured with instructions from Sir HAROLD MACKINTOSH, Bart., to SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises,

ON TUESDAY, THE 12TH DECEMBER, 1922, AND FOLLOWING DAYS

THE VALUABLE ANTIQUE AND DECORATIVE FURNITURE; Concert Grand Piano, by Blüthner; Louis XV. and XVI. Commodes and Library Tables; a Giltwood Suite, covered in Gobelins Tapestry; choice specimens of the Chippendale, Adam, and Hepplewhite periods; Queen Anne and Georgian Long Case Clocks; Louis XVI. Mantel and English Bracket Do., a superb Pair of Old Cut-Glass Chandeliers, Marble Groups and Figures; Turkey, Persian, and Wilton Carpets and Rugs; Painted Leather and Tapestry Screens, Bronze Groups and Figures, Oil Paintings of the Modern School, Old Worcester and Crown Derby Dessert Service, Belleek Parian Statuettes, Valuable Porcelain; about 300 ounces of Old English and Irish Plate, Sheffield Plated Ware; 100 Volumes Books, chiefly Standard Works upon Art; the Appointments of 15 Bedrooms; 2 Fireproof Safes, by Milner; and other Appointments of the mansion.

OUTDOOR EFFECTS include: Lead Figures, 20 h.p. Crossley Engine, Palms, etc., Catalogues of which are in preparation

BENNETT AND SON, LIMITED,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,

6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

MACARTHUR & CO.'S SALES.

PROPERTY AUCTION, FRIDAY NEXT, 24TH NOVEMBER.

38 SYNGE STREET, WITHIN 2 DOORS OF S.C.R., FACING ST. KEVIN'S R.C. CHURCH.—SUBSTANTIALLY-BUILT PRIVATE RESIDENCE, in good position, containing two sittingrooms, with folding doors; four good airy bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen, with close range; bath, hot and cold; scullery, small lumber room; good garden, with greenhouse. Entire Premises are in good order and ready for immediate occupation. Ground rent, £4 10s. Lease 999 years from 1831. Possession will be handed to purchaser.

Messrs. A. and J. ROBINSON, Solicitors, 119 Stephen's Green, West.

"ASHLEIGH," 25 CAMBRIDGE AVENUE, RINGSEND. CLEAR VACANT POSSESSION WILL BE HANDED TO PURCHASER. Semi-detached, early English-style, with plot of ground adjoining, commanding extensive marine and mountain views, with right to foreshore, and containing 4 bedrooms, 2 sittingrooms, kitchen, close range, scullery, pantry, cupboard, bath, hot and cold; two lavatories; also plot of ground in front, 50 ft. x 45 ft., fitted with electric light throughout. Good concrete yard in rear; also fowl runs and usual out-offices. Ground rent £8. Lease 999 years from the 1st November, 1920. Can be seen any time on Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

28 DIGBY TERRACE, MOUNTJOY STREET. VACANT POSSESSION. NEAT, MODERN, TWO-STOREYED RED-BRICKED RESIDENCE, having railed plot in front, and containing sittingroom, dininggroom, gas, kitchen, with open range; gas cooker, pantry, bathroom, cold supply; wash-house, three excellent bedrooms; good garden in rear; outhouses. Entire Premises have been newly decorated, and are ready for immediate occupation. Ground rent £5. Lease about 200 years. Can be seen any day from 11 till 4. Keys No. 18.

R. J. GOFF, Esq., M.A., Solicitor, 15 D'Olier street.

82 LOWER BRECHWOOD AVENUE. VACANT POSSESSION. EXCELLENTLY SITUATED PRIVATE MODERN RESIDENCE, within one door of Sandford road. Prettily railed in front, with ornamental front, brick-built bay window; front and back parlours, three bedrooms, electric light, two attics, bath, hot and cold; separate lavatory, linen press, tiled kitchen, close range, gas cooker, pantries; railed plot in front, good garden in rear; usual out-offices. Ground rent £4 12/6. Lease 975 years. Entire Premises have been newly decorated, and are ready for immediate occupation. Ground rent £4 12/6. Lease 975 years. Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS; or from CLARKE. Ground rent £24 12/6. Lease 975 years. Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS; or from Messrs. H. T. DIX and SONS, Solicitors, 24 Clare street.

41 MONTPELIER HILL, PHŒNIX PARK (OFF INFIRMARY ROAD). VACANT POSSESSION Neat modern House, one storey in front, two at rear; sittingroom, tiled kitchen, with close range, gas cooker; three bedrooms, pantries, bathroom, gas; good garden in rear; lavatory; newly railed plot in front. CLEAR VACANT POSSESSION WILL BE HANDED TO PURCHASER. Ground rent, £2 Lease for ever. P.L.V., £13. Seen any time. Keys with AUCTIONEERS.

8 AND 9 NORTH JAMES' STREET, OFF NORTH STRAND. — TWO NEAT, TWO-STOREYED HOUSES, each containing sittingroom, kitchen, close range, scullery, two good bedrooms, yard, and lavatory. Each let at 12/- per week (old standing tenants). Ground rent £2 10/- each. Lease 700 years. Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

26, 27 AND 28 LOWER BUCKINGHAM STREET.—TWO GOOD HOUSES, with yards, sheds, and stabling, in handy position, off Amiens street. No. 26 is a comfortable three-storeyed house, with red-brick front, containing six apartments; Let at 18/7 per week. No. 27 is a compact dwelling, with four apartments, bathroom and lavatory. No. 28 is spacious yard, with sheds and stabling, front gate entrance; let at £1 7/5 per week. The property